George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederich Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle

3-3 David Frederich Mohr

August 27, 1865 Van Wert County, Ohio
December 20, 1904 Paulding County, Ohio
burial Mohr Cemetery, Van Wert County

Mary Ella Ried March 26, 1891 Rev. James F. Mounts
February 21, 1870 Hocking County, Ohio
July 6, 1941 Paulding County, Ohio

#2: Elmer Elsworth Louck May 15, 1909

June 26, 1873
January 23, 1942 Blue Creek, Paulding County

4-1	Winnie Mable Mohr	December 19, 1891
4-2	Samuel Nelson Mohr	January 24, 1894
4-3	Nellie Josephine Mohr	October 10, 1895
4-4	Susie Ellen Mohr	June 9, 1897
4-5	Sarah Florence Mohr	January 20, 1899
4-6	Ruth Mae Mohr	January 21, 1901
4-7	Sabina Virgil Mohr	February 2, 1904
4-8	Elsie Alice Louck	March 20, 1915

Mary Ella Reid, daughter of Samuel and Susannah Karshner Reid

Marriage license at Paulding, Ohio: issued to David Mohr and Ella Reid

Kathleen Riley,
Rheba Baker
Nelly & Dave Burris
Kim Lungring & Cheryl
June & Dan Gerad
Dave & Ruth Gerad
Nadia & Noah

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Rheba Baker
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Ken Spegrong

Dave Burris

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Noah
Ruth Girod
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Don Girod

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Log Cabin

Graver Hill, Oh

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Dan Girad

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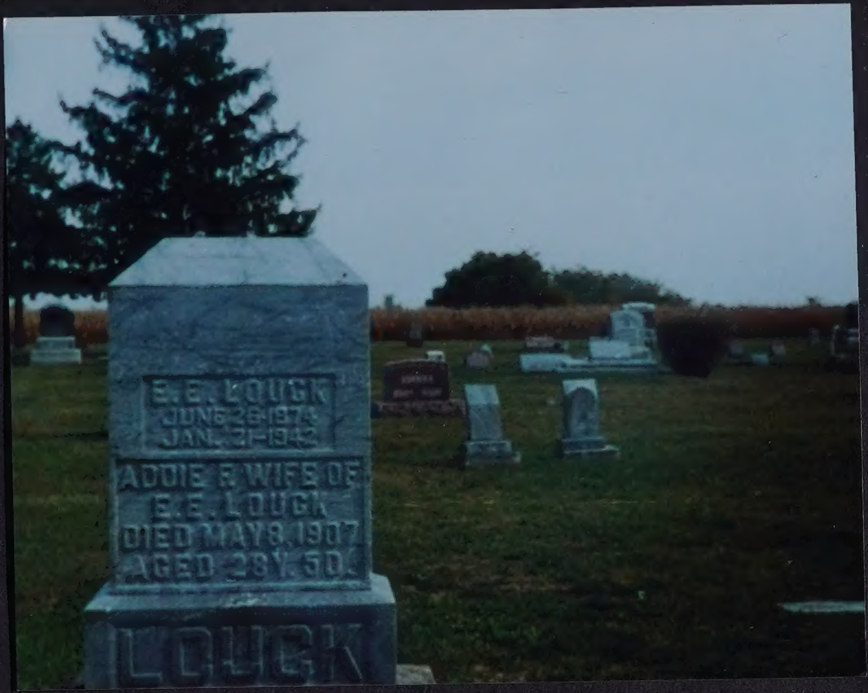
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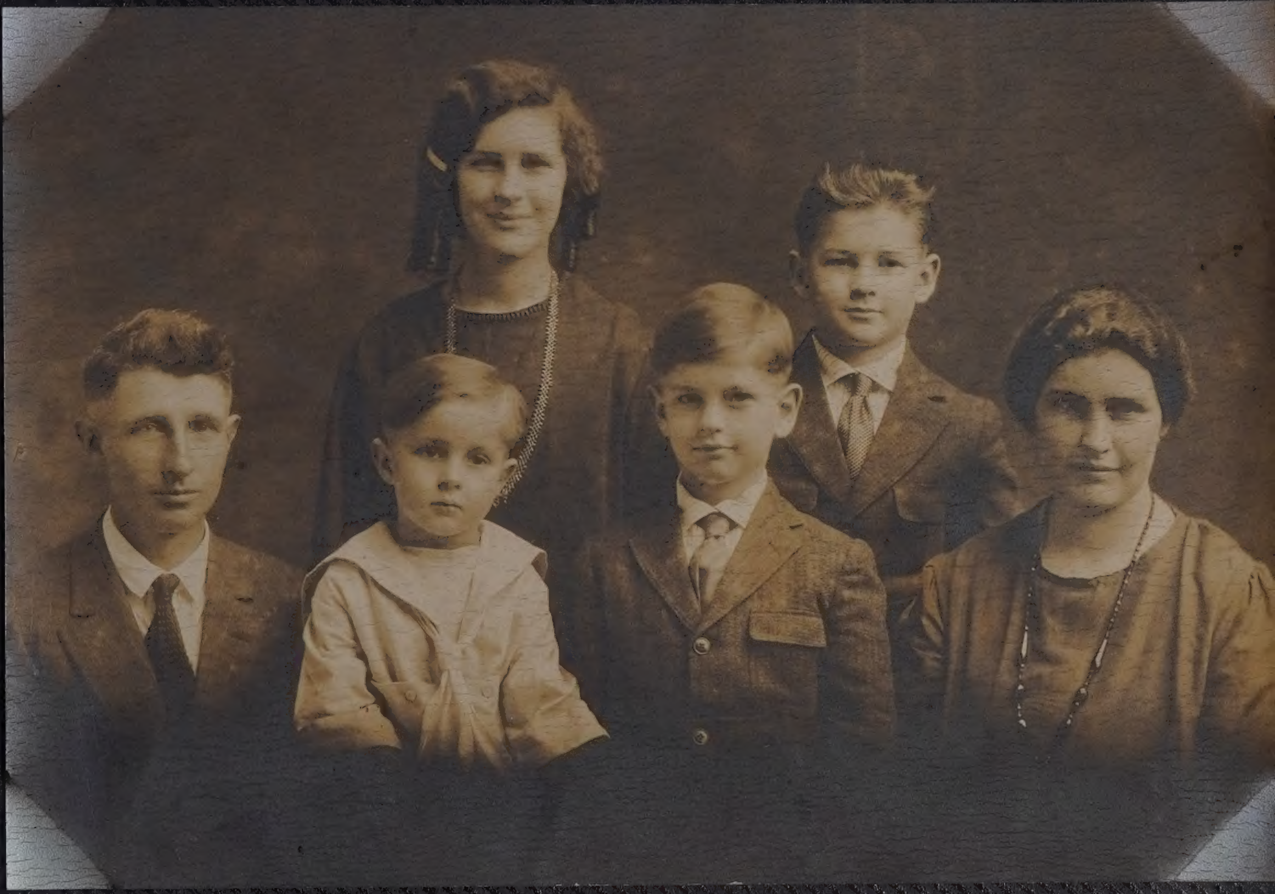

THE ASHTON FAMILY

Frances and Harold
Morgan, Russell, Carl and Winnie Ashton

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Harold & Carl Ashton
August 1996
Reid Reunion

ASHTON
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Would you recognize
our old Home Place?
I think Saralene sold
the house & 10 A of woods the
summer after Carl passed away
new owners fixed up etc
& it really looks nice.
I was in house 4-5 years ago
& it was real sound —
needed fix up & roof leaked
should be good for another
80 years if you keep

Morgan Eugene Ashton, the only child of Frank and Rebecca Ashton, was born at Scott, Ohio, March 2[illegible], 1883. He departed this life August 15, 1932, at his home near Scott, in which vicinity he had spent most of his life. For the past seven years he had been in failing health. In 1910 he was united in marriage to Winnie Mohr. To this union four children were born, one daughter and three sons. He was a kind and loving husband and father. He was preceded in death by his father and mother. He leaves to mourn their loss, his wife and children, Frances, Harold, Carl and Russell, all at home, a step-mother, Mrs. Cora Ashton, and a host of relatives and friends.

A loved one from us is gone,
A voice we love is stilled,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to the neighbors and friends, who so kindly assisted us during the brief illness and death of our loved one, the ministers for their words of comfort, the singers for their music and also for the beautiful flowers contributed by friends and relatives.

Mrs. M. E. Ashton and Children.
Mrs. Cora Ashton.

Mrs. Winnie M. Ashton, 57, of Scott died Thursday afternoon at the Paulding County Hospital.

She was born December 19, 1891, the daughter of David and Ella Mohr. Her husband, Morgan E. Ashton, passed away in August, 1932.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Harold Hunsaker of Grover Hill; three sons, Harold of Van Wert, Carl of Scott and Russell of Wheatridge, Colo.; one brother, Nelson Mohr of Scott five sisters, Mrs. James Evans, Miss Florence Mohr, and Mrs. Edgar Girod of Van Wert, Mrs. L. A. Davis of Bryan and Mrs. Byron Burris of Spencerville; a half-sister, Mrs. Palmer Morris of Venedocia; a step-brother, Ralph Louck of Lima; a step-sister, Mrs. Gladys Armstrong of Haviland; and 15 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday at 2:30 P. M. at Grand Victory Church, with Rev. T. A. Hiatt officiating. Burial will be at the church cemetery. The body will be removed from the Didrik Funeral Home to the residence Friday evening, where friends may call.

Winnie Mabel Mohr, eldest child of David and Ella Mohr, was born December 19, 1891 in Paulding County, near Scott. She passed away November 17, 1949 at the Paulding County Memorial Hospital at the age of 57 years, 10 months and 28 days, living her entire life in the same community.

On October 15, 1910 she was united in marriage to Morgan E. Ashton, who passed away August 15, 1932. To this union were born a daughter and three sons.

She was converted and joined Grand Victory Church as a girl. She has held offices in the church and served on many committees, especially in the training of the children. For the past several years she served as teacher of the beginners class and was faithful in all her church activities. The last time she was able to teach her class was just five weeks preceding her death.

Those who mourn her departure are the daughter, Mrs. Frances Hunsaker of Grover Hill; the sons, Harold of Van Wert, Carl of Scott and Russel of Denver, Colo.; one brother, Nelson Mohr of Scott; five sisters, Mrs. Nellie Evans, Miss Florence Mohr and Mrs. Ruth Girod of Van Wert, Mrs. Susie Davis of Bryan and Mrs. Sabina Burris of Spencerville; a half-sister, Mrs. Elsie Morris of Venedocia, a step-brother, Ralph Louck of Lima and a step-sister, Mrs. Gladys Armstrong of Haviland; ten granddaughters, five grandsons; two aunts and many other relatives and a host of friends.

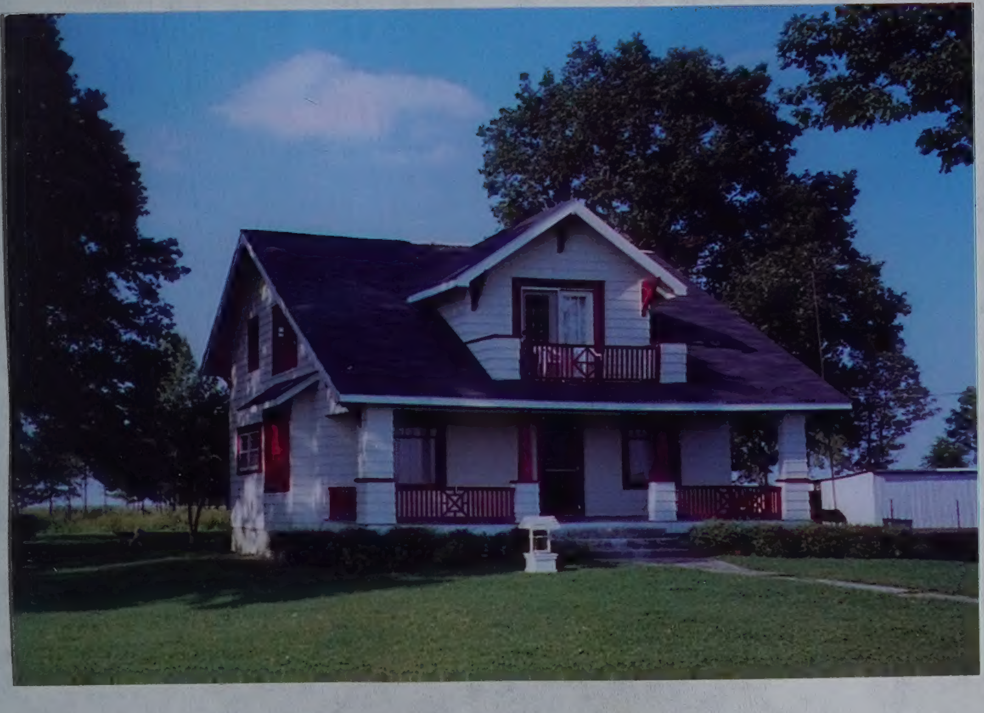
(This verse was used at her mother's funeral)

"Beautiful toiler thy work all done,
Beautiful soul into glory gone,
Beautiful life with its crown now won
God giveth thee rest."

Card of Thanks 2

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many relatives, friends and neighbors, who were so kind to us during our recent bereavement of our mother, Winnie M. Ashton. And also for the beautiful floral offerings.

The Family



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December 19, 1891 Pualding County, Ohio
November , 1949 Paulding County, Ohio Cancer

Morgan Eugene Ashton

March 21, 1888
August 15, 1932 Mohr Cemetery, Van Wert County, Ohio

5-1	Frances Laura Ashton	June 12, 1911
5-2	Harold Eugene Ashton	December 7, 1914
5-3	Carl Doyt Ashton	July 11, 1916
5-4	Russell Mohr Ashton	March 3, 1919

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June 12, 1911

October 3, 1985

Harold Thomas Hunsaker 23 October 1934

March 10, 1912
October 22, 1963 Middle Creek, Grover Hill, Ohio
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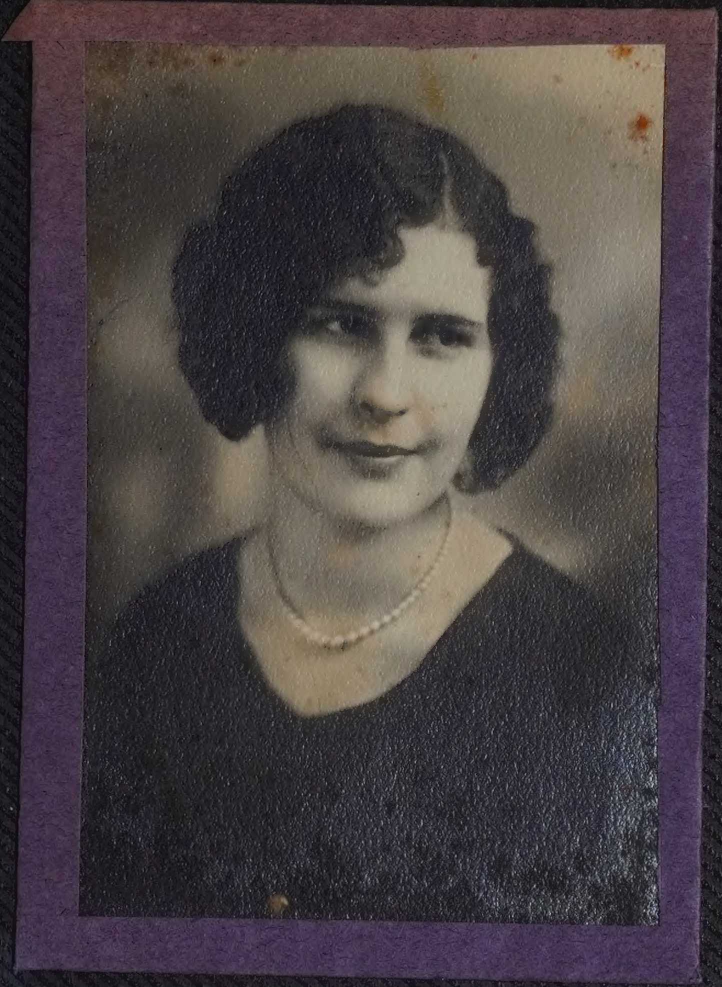
6-2	DeWayne Leslie Hunsaker	April 12, 1940
6-3	Carole Ann Hunsaker	February 26, 1943



Frances Ashton

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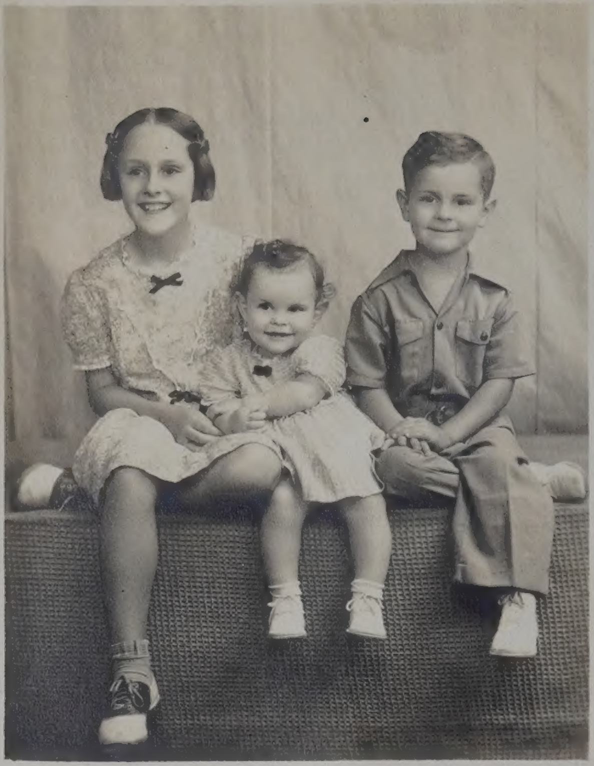

Helen, Carole, DeWayne
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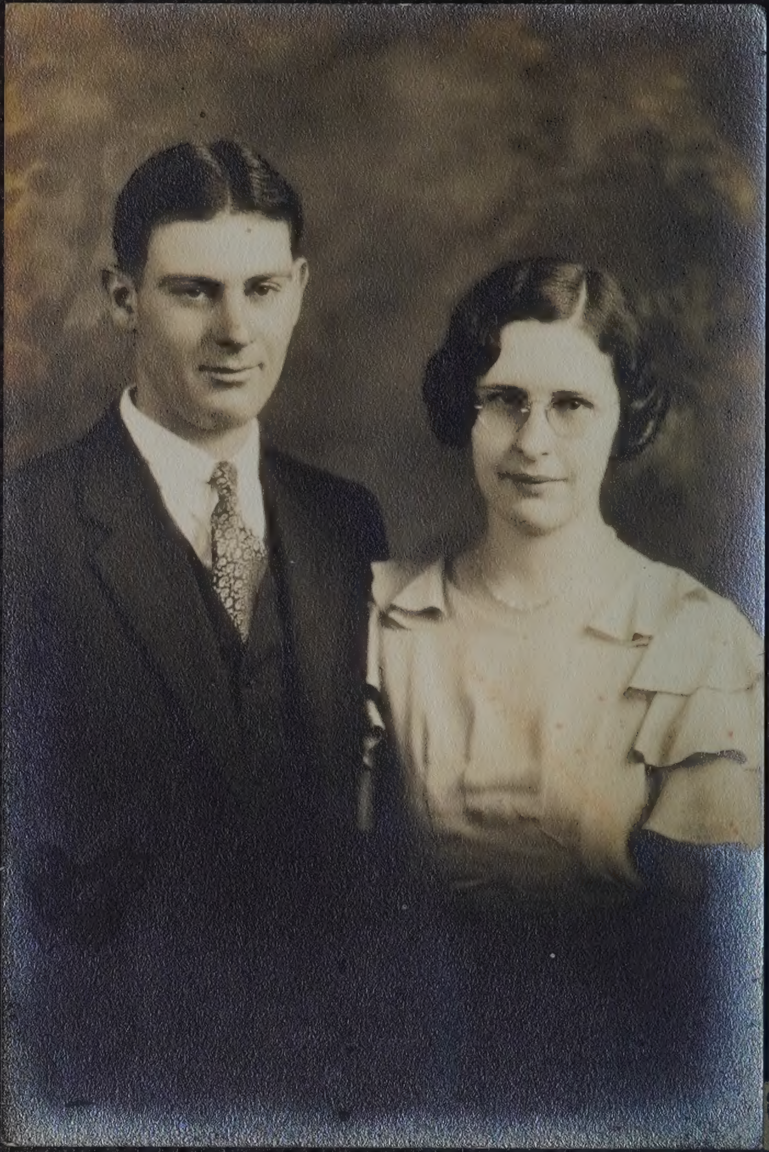

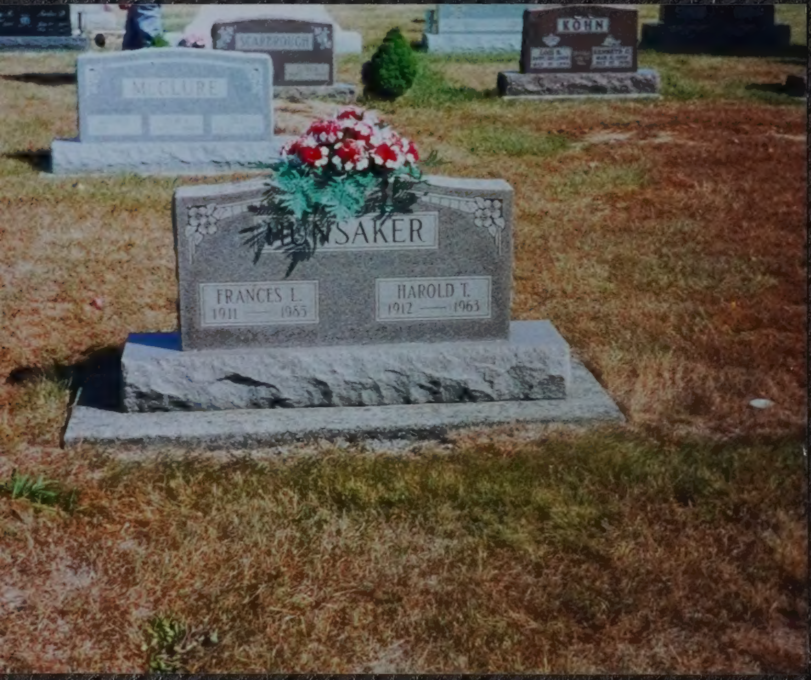
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1912 —— 1963

Harold & Frances
Hunsaker

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Helen Hunsaker
1938 at 425 S.
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Helen Hunsaker
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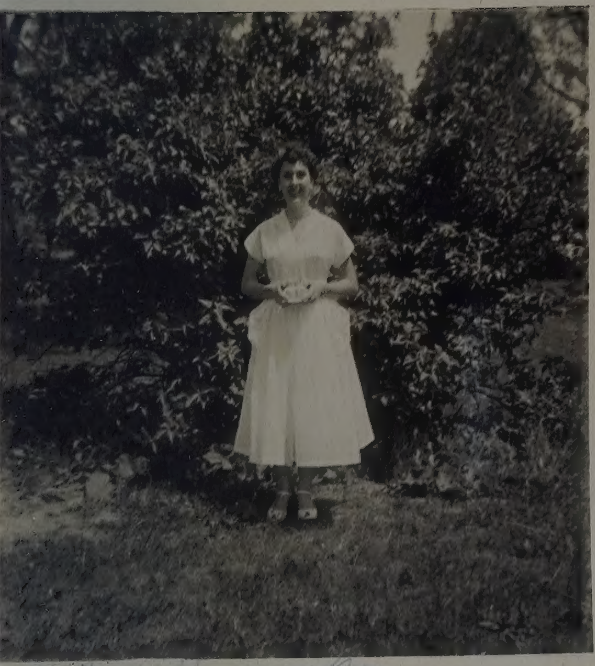

Helen Hunsaker

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Helen Hunsaker

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FRANCES L. HUNSAKER

GROVER HILL — Frances L. Hunsaker, 74, of West Walnut Street in Grover Hill died unexpectedly at 11:17 a.m. in Van Wert County Hospital.

She was born June 12, 1911 in Paulding County, the daughter of Morgan and Winnie (Mohr) Ashton.

She married Harold T. Hunsaker on Oct. 23, 1934. He died Oct. 23, 1963.

Survivors include a son, DeWayne L. Hunsaker of Grover Hill; two daughters, Helen I. Hunsaker of Fort Wayne, and Carole Ann Witten of Ohio City; three brothers, Harold Ashton of Reading, Mich., Carl Ashton of Scott, Russell Ashton of Wheatridge, Col.; and four grandchildren.

Mrs. Hunsaker retired from the Lare Grain Elevator in 1983. She was formerly employed at Central Soya in Delphos.

Mrs. Hunsaker was a member of the former Grand Victory Evangelical United Brethren Church; Grover Hill village council member; Haviland Alumni Association secretary; Van Wert Area Christian Singles, and Black Swamp and Spencerville CB clubs. She was a graduate of Haviland High School and International Business College in Fort Wayne.

Funeral services were Sunday in Alspach Funeral Home, with the Rev. Paul Miller officiating. Burial was in Middle Creek Cemetery.

Preferred memorials may go to the Grover Hill EMS.

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Mrs. M. E. Ashton and Children.
Mrs. Cora Ashton.

ASHTON

SCOTT, O.—Funeral services for Mrs. Winnie M. Ashton, 57, of Scott, who died Thursday in the Paulding County Memorial Hospital at Paulding, will be conducted at 2:30 p.m. today in the Grand Victory Church. The Rev. T. A. Hiatt will officiate and burial will be in the Grand Victory Cemetery. Surviving are a daughter, three sons, 15 grandchildren, a brother, five sisters, a half-sister, a stepbrother and a stepsister. The body, taken to the Didrick Funeral Home at Grover Hill, has been returned to the residence.

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherina Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnarle
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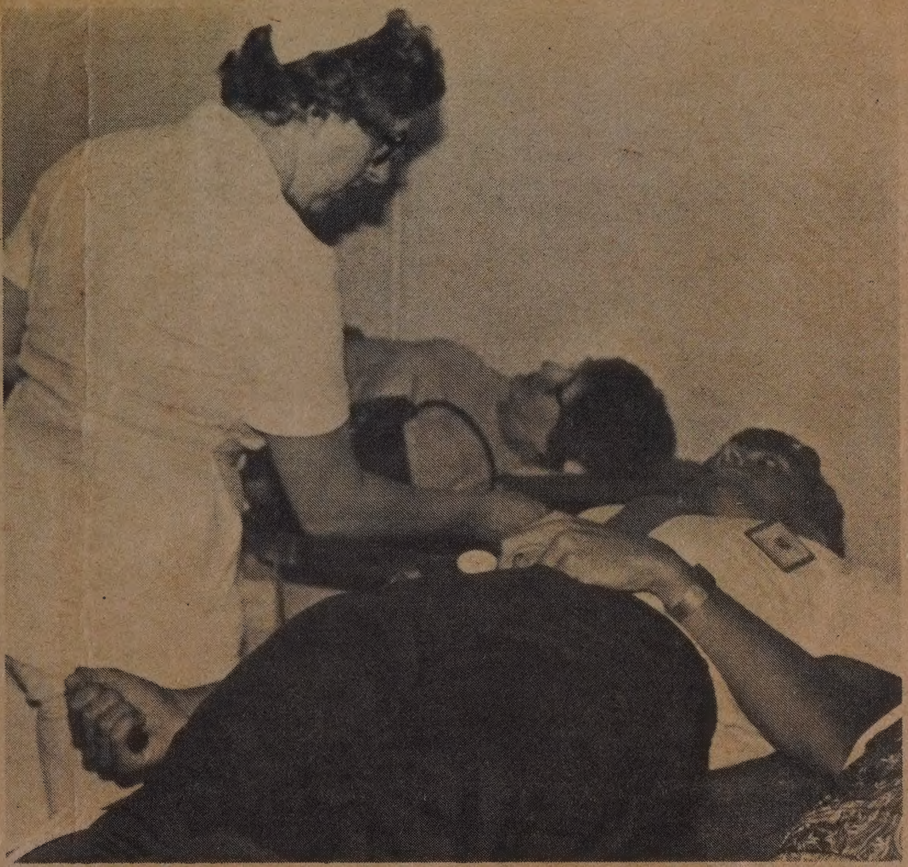
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-1 Frances Laura Ashton and Harold Thomas Hunsaker

6-1 Helen Ileen Hunsaker RN

June 6, 1936

Ed Mowyer divorce

Helen a registered nurse; worked Parkview Hospital, Fort Wayne and Red Cross, Fort Wayne, Indiana



PARISHIONERS DONATE BLOOD — The rectory basement at St. Charles Parish in Fort Wayne was a busy place August 3 while 124 parishioners came to donate 106 pints of blood to the American Red Cross. Thirty-four were first time donors. Here, Mike Hausfeld gives blood while Helen Hunsaker, R.N., watches. Associate Pastor Father Michael Buescher, a regular donor, says the parish plans to hold blood donation days often. (St. Charles Photo)

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6-2 DeWayne Leslie Hunsaker

April 12, 1940

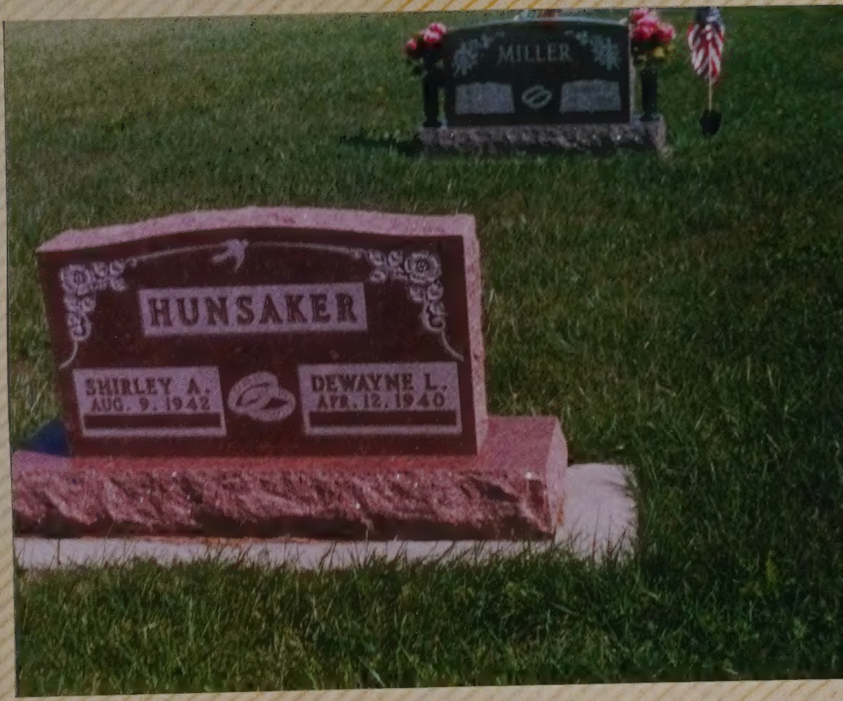
Shirley Dotson

August 9, 1942

7-1	Teresa Ann Hunsaker	July 24, 1961
7-2	Timothy DeWayne Hunsaker	December 16, 1962

209 North Main Street
P.O. Box 1
Grover Hill, Ohio 45849

DEWAYNE HUNSAKER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6-2 De Wayne Leslie Hunsaker and Shirley Ann Dotson

7-2 Timothy De Wayne Hunsaker

1962 December 16

Cindy Ann Thatcher 1985 September 28

8-1	Evan De Wayne Hunsaker	1988 June 30
8-2	Kaylin Hunsaker	1990 May
8-3	Morgan Hunsaker	1993 November

Tim Hunsaker

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CAROLE ANN HUNSAKER

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Obituaries

JOSEPH P. "JOE" DAVIE

LIMA — Joseph P. "Joe" Davie, 56, of Elida, died at 10:20 a.m. Thursday in Lima Memorial Hospital.

He was born on Dec. 19, 1934, in Detroit, Mich., a son of Victoria (Dumbrauski) Davie of Warren, Mich., and the late Peter J. Davie. On April 5, 1986, he married the former Carol Ann Hunsaker and she survives.

Other survivors include two sons, Mitchell J. and Tony J., both of Elida; three daughters, Mrs. John (Shannon) Burklund of Lima, Linda Witten of Ohio City, and Mrs. Laura Pessefall of Convoy; a sister, Marie Barrios of Warren, Mich.; and five grandchildren.

Mr. Davie had retired from Millcore in Lima. He was a member of the Cable Road Alliance Church in Lima, a member of the F.O.E., Airie No. 370, and had been a soccer coach in the Elida schools.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday in the Hogenkamp-Bonham Funeral Home in Lima, with the Rev. Richard D. Jueckstock to officiate. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Ohio City.

Calling hours are from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Sunday in the funeral home.

Preferred memorials are to the Elida EMS.

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Convoy

CLIFTON A. "BUTCH" PESSEFALL, 55, of Convoy, Ohio, died Monday, June 6, 2005. **Arrangements by Alspach-Gearhart Funeral Home, Van Wert.**

Hicksville

Ohio City

LAURA ANN (WITTEN) PESSEFALL, 40, of Ohio City, died Wednesday, Oct. 26, 2005. **Arrangements by Cowan & Son Funeral Home, Van Wert.**

Other Deaths

Goerge Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherina Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-1 Frances Laura Ashton and Harold Thomas Hunsaker
6-3 Carole Ann Hunsaker and Donald Witten

7-1 Laura Ann Witten brain tumor

December 27, 1963
October 26, 2005

m. Clifton A. Pessafall "Butch"

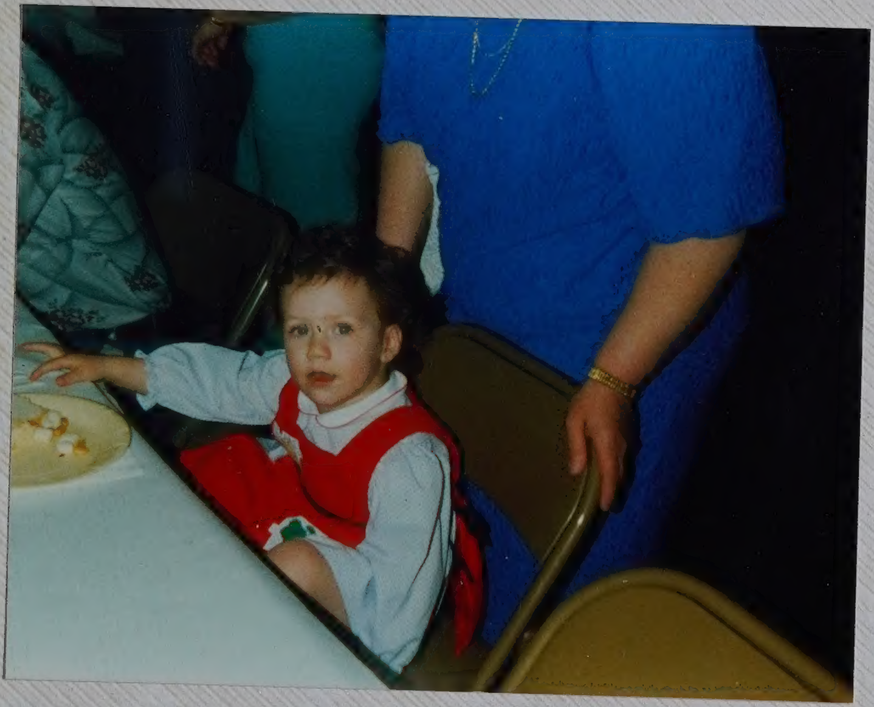
d. June 6, 2005 age 55 of Convoy, Ohio

8-1 Whitney Nicole Pessafall 24 December 1986

8-2 Christian Pessafall 12 July 1990
Anthony

8-3 Chad Anthony Pessafall 1991 September 12

8-4 Brittany Nicole Pessafall 1997 January 8



Whitney Nicole Pessefall

April 1989

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7-2 Linda Denise Witten

18 January 1965

8-1 Devan Elias Witten 11 July 1990

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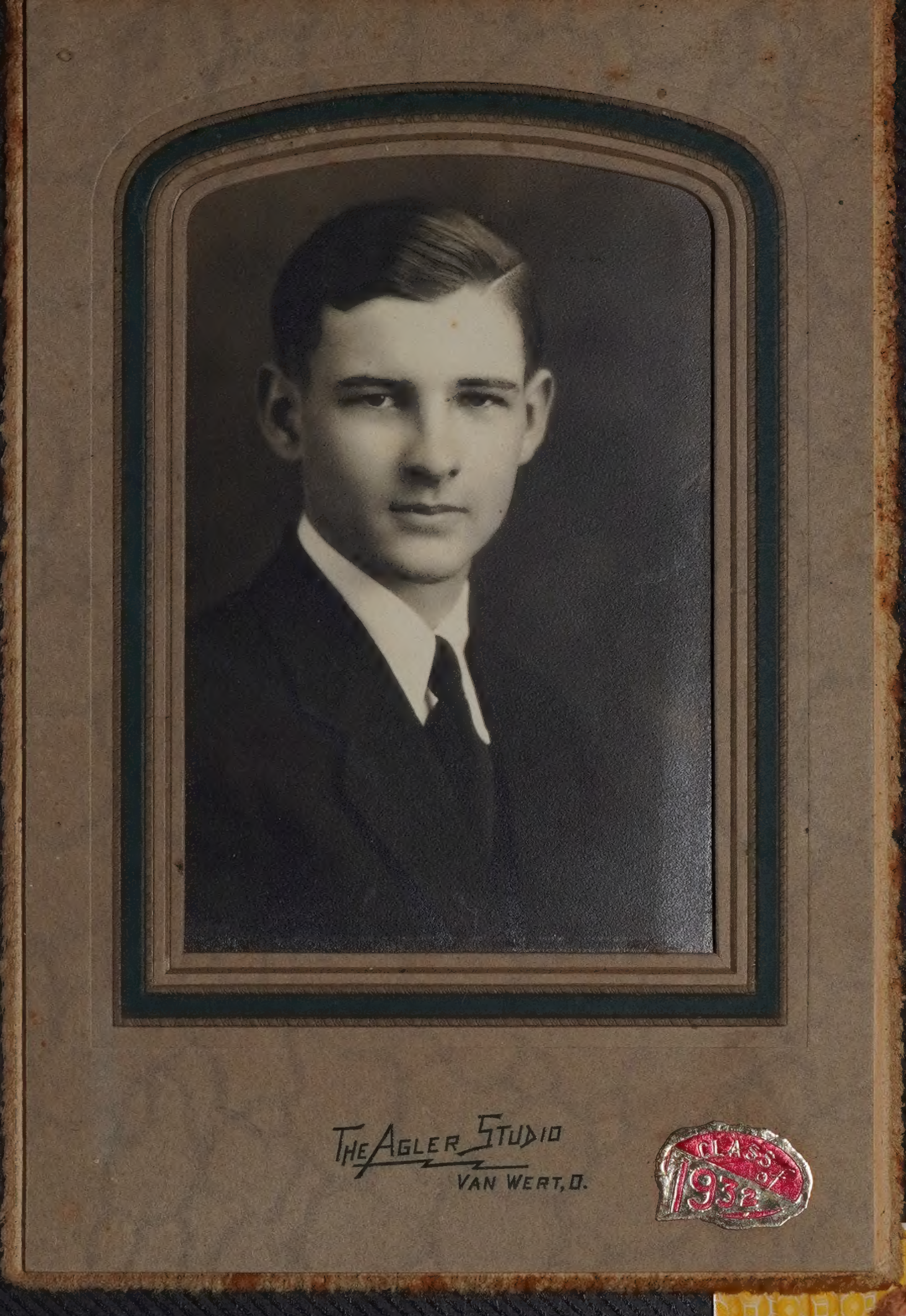
The Agler Studio
Van Wert, O.
Class of
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Harold Ashton

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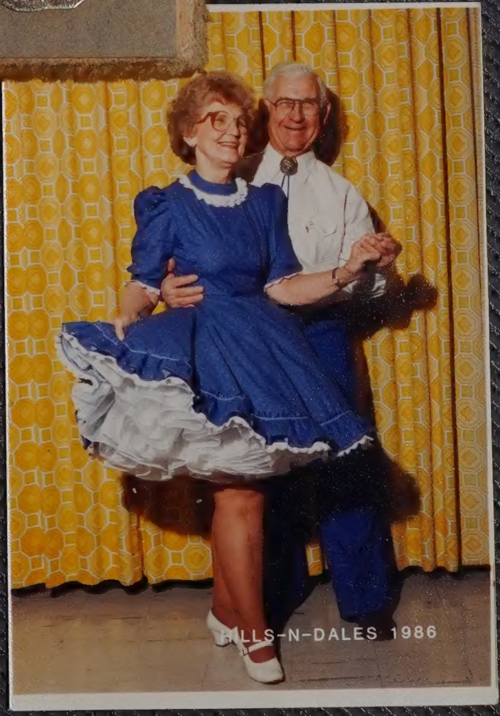
HILLS-N-DALES 1986

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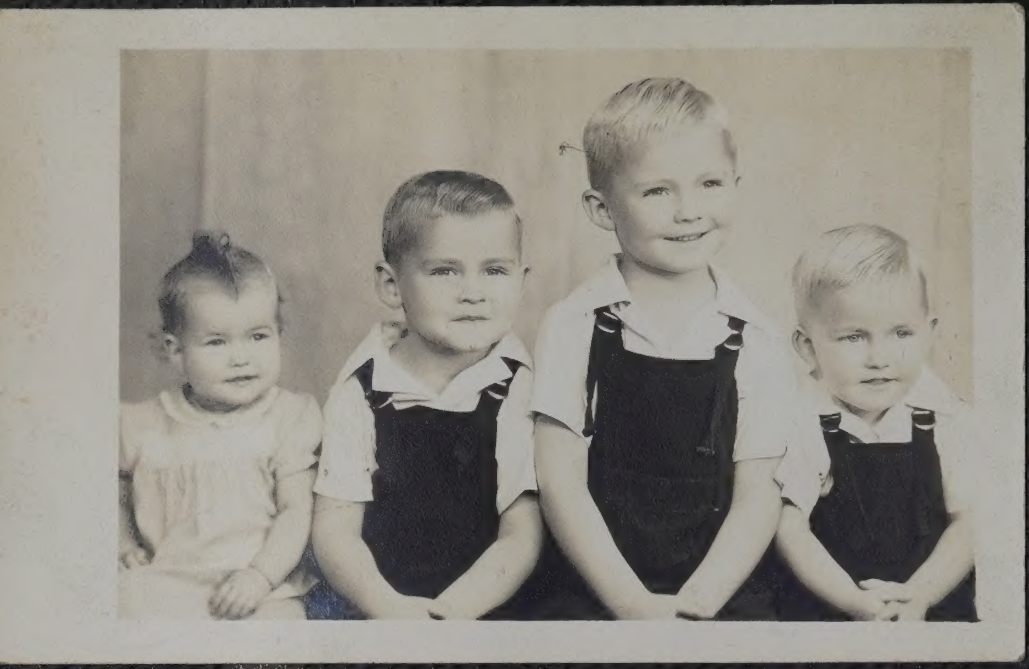


December 1944
Sharon, Donald, Dennis
and Robert Ashton

lifestyle

50th Anniversary celebrated

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ashton

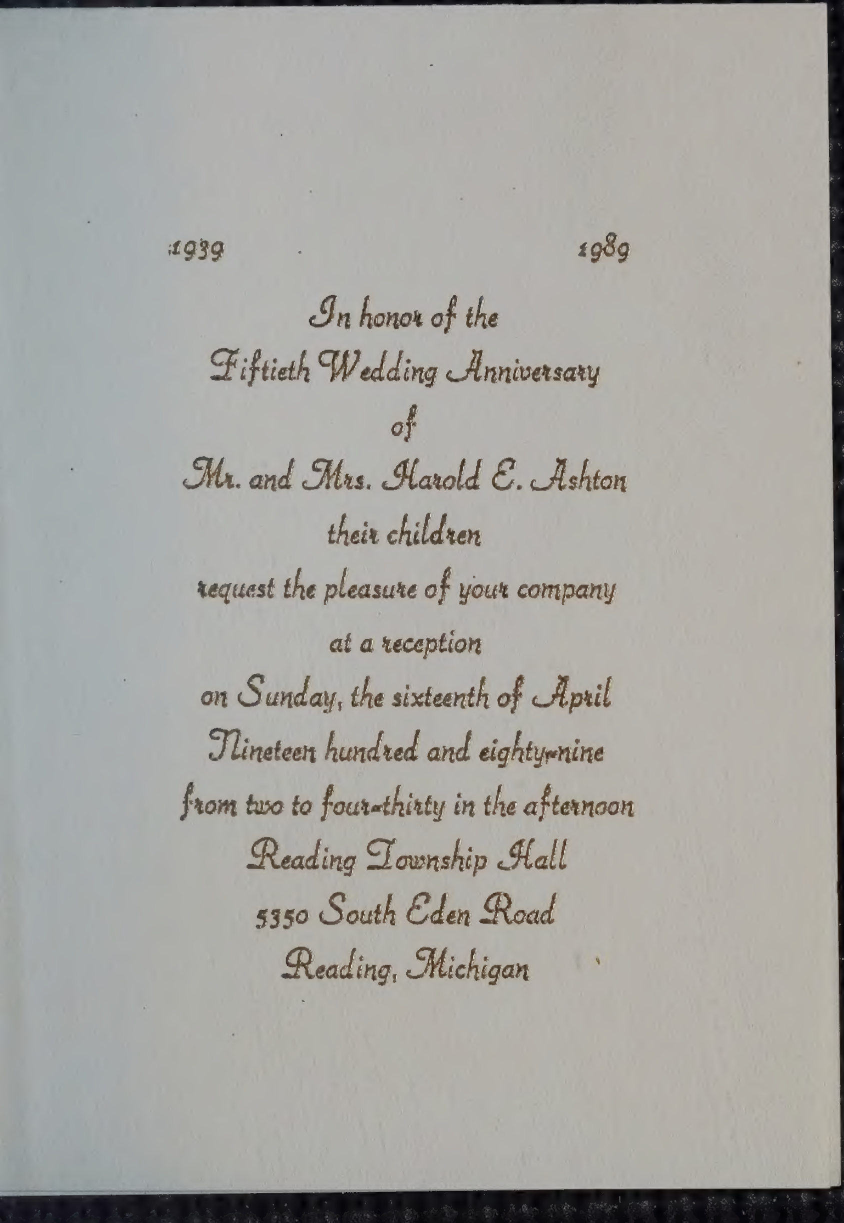
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ashton of 5520 Card Road, Reading, Mich. will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday with an open house reception, hosted by their children, from 2-4:30 p.m. in the Reading Township Hall, north of Reading on Mich. 49.

Harold Ashton and the former Ruth Rumble were married Feb. 12, 1939 in Van Wert by the Rev. Raleigh Walker. They moved to their present home in Reading in 1953.

The couple have seven children, Dennis of Ortonville, Mich.; Don of Fort Wayne; Robert of Bryan; Sharon Burke of Reading; William of Stanfield, N.C.; Marilyn Rath of Nashville and Nina Risk of Qunicy, Mich. They have 14 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Family, friends and neighbors are welcome to join with them in this celebration. Your presence is their desired gift, they request no other.

Our
Golden Anniversary



1939 1989

In honor of the
Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary
of
Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Ashton
their children
request the pleasure of your company
at a reception
on Sunday, the sixteenth of April
Nineteen hundred and eighty-nine
from two to four-thirty in the afternoon
Reading Township Hall
5350 South Eden Road
Reading, Michigan

Our parents have been richly blessed during their 50 years together. We request therefore that the only gift you provide be that of your time and thoughts.

We are compiling a Memory Book for our parents that will consist of letters and poems directed to Harold and Ruth from you. Eloquence is not as important as the thoughts you share about your friendship or a special event that links you to our parents.

Please mail your letter or poem to:

Marilyn Ashton Rath
5713 Cloverland Place
Brentwood, TN 37027

Thank you for sharing the best gift of all - your friendship.

The Ashton Kids

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Harold E. Ashton

READING, Mich. — Harold E. Ashton, 88, a longtime Reading resident, died Thursday, Feb. 6, 2003, in Sebring, Fla.

He was born Dec. 7, 1914, in Scott, the son of the late Morgan and Winnie (Mohr) Ashton. On Feb. 12, 1939, he married Ruth Rumble, who survives.

Other survivors include:

Daughters — Sharon (Lou) Burke and Nina (Robert) Risk, both of Reading, and Marilyn (Robert) Roth of Simsbury, Conn.

Sons — Dennis (Sharon) Ashton of Ortonville, Mich., Don (Bobbie) Ashton of Fort Wayne, Ind., and William (Diane) Ashton of Boca Raton, Fla.

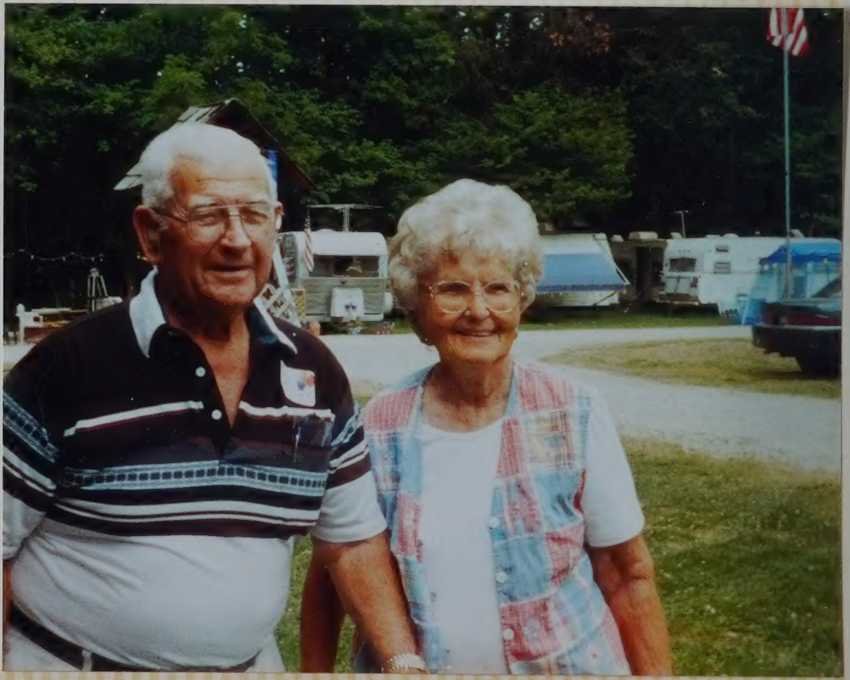
Brother — Russell (Maxine) Ashton of Colorado

Twelve grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren also survive.

He was preceded in death by one brother, a sister, and one son, Robert.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday at George White Funeral Home, Reading. Internment will follow in Maplewood Cemetery, Reading.

Calling hours are 6-8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.



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5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton

December 7, 1914

February 6, 2003 at Sebring Fl

Ruth Rumble February 12, 1939 (Ruth Helen Rumble)

January 30, 1920

6-1	Dennis Harold Ashton	December 7, 1939
6-2	Donald Kent Ashton	January 22, 1941
6-3	Robert Allen Ashton	March 29, 1942
6-4	Sharon Louise Ashton	October 1, 1943
6-5	William Arden Ashton	March 11, 1945
6-6	Marilyn Ruth Ashton	October 20, 1946
6-7	Nina Elizabeth Ashton	September 4, 1948

Dennis Ashton

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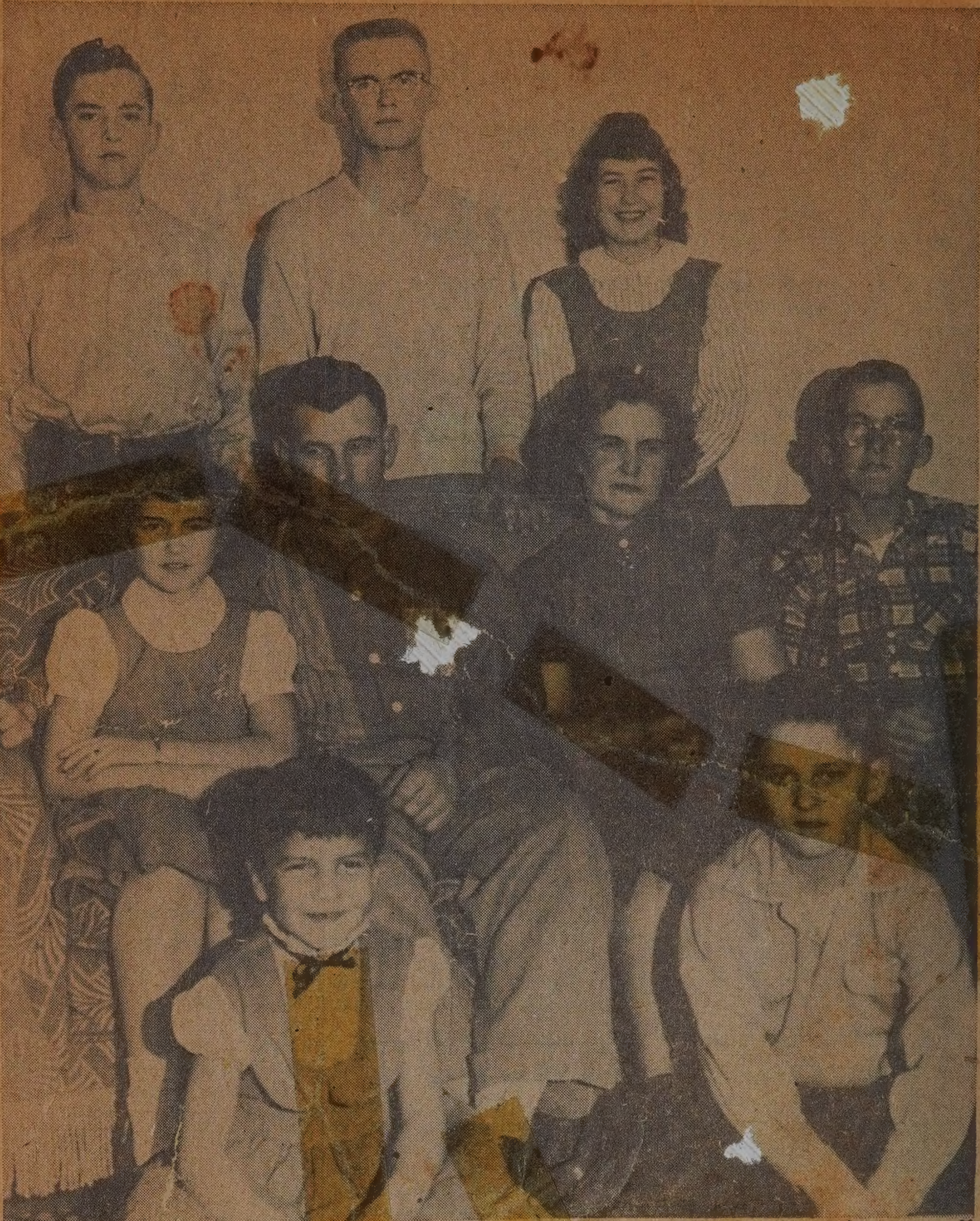

1956 FARM FAMILY OF THE YEAR—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ashton and seven children, 552 Card Road, were awarded the Hillsdale Daily News plaque, Monday evening, at the fourth arm & Home Progress show. The family is one y county would be proud to have as mem- of its community. In the front row, left, is Nina, 7 and Bill, 10. Next to her father is Marilyn, 9, and next to Mrs. Ashton, Bob, 13. In the back row are Don, 15, Dennis, 16, and Sharon, 12. Sharon was unable to be present at the show, because she broke an ankle while coasting, Sunday.

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December 7, 1939 Van Wert Co., OH

Sharon Mc Clelland August 28, 1960 Hillsdale Co. MI

December 23, 1941 Hillsdale Co. MI

7-1	Jill Janine Ashton	September 13, 1961
7-2	Lisa Michelle Ashton	December 2, 1965
7-3	Shari Renee Ashton	August 2, 1967
7-4	Amy Beth Ashton	December 28, 1968

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6-1 Dennis Harold Ashton and Sharon Sue McClelland

7-1 Jill Janine Ashton

1961 September 13 Flint, MI

m. David Nacy 1985 July 5 Clarkston, MI

1960 October 17

8-1	David Ashton Nacy	1990 August 6 Oakland Co., MI
8-2	Steven Dennis Nacy	1990 August 6 "
8-3	Michael Raymond Nacy	1993 April 17 "

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George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

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2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnarle
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4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Helen Rumble
6-1 Dennis Harold Ashton and Sharon Sue Mc Clelland

7-2 Lisa Michelle Ashton

1965 December 2 - Oakland Co., MI

m. Zack Stroud 1991 November 23 - Fort Worth, Texas

1962 April 2 Edinborough, Scotland

8-1 Brittany Megan Stroud 1994 December 8, Lewisville, Texas

1997

8-2 Jordon Ashton Stroud 1997 April 6

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

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4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Helen Rumble
6-1 Dennis Harold Ashton and Sharon Sue McClelland

7-3 Shari Renee Ashton

1967 August 2 - Oakland Co., MI

m. Keith Rowland 1996 April 11, MI

1997 Michigan

8-1 Nicholas Keith Rowland 2001 September 17

8-2 Miranda Rowland 2003 December 2

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

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4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Helen Rumble
6-1 Dennis Harold Ashton and Sharon Sue McClelland

7-4 Amy Beth Ashton

1968 December 28, Oakland Co., Mi

m. Kevin Jordon 1994 April 23, Oakland Co., Mi

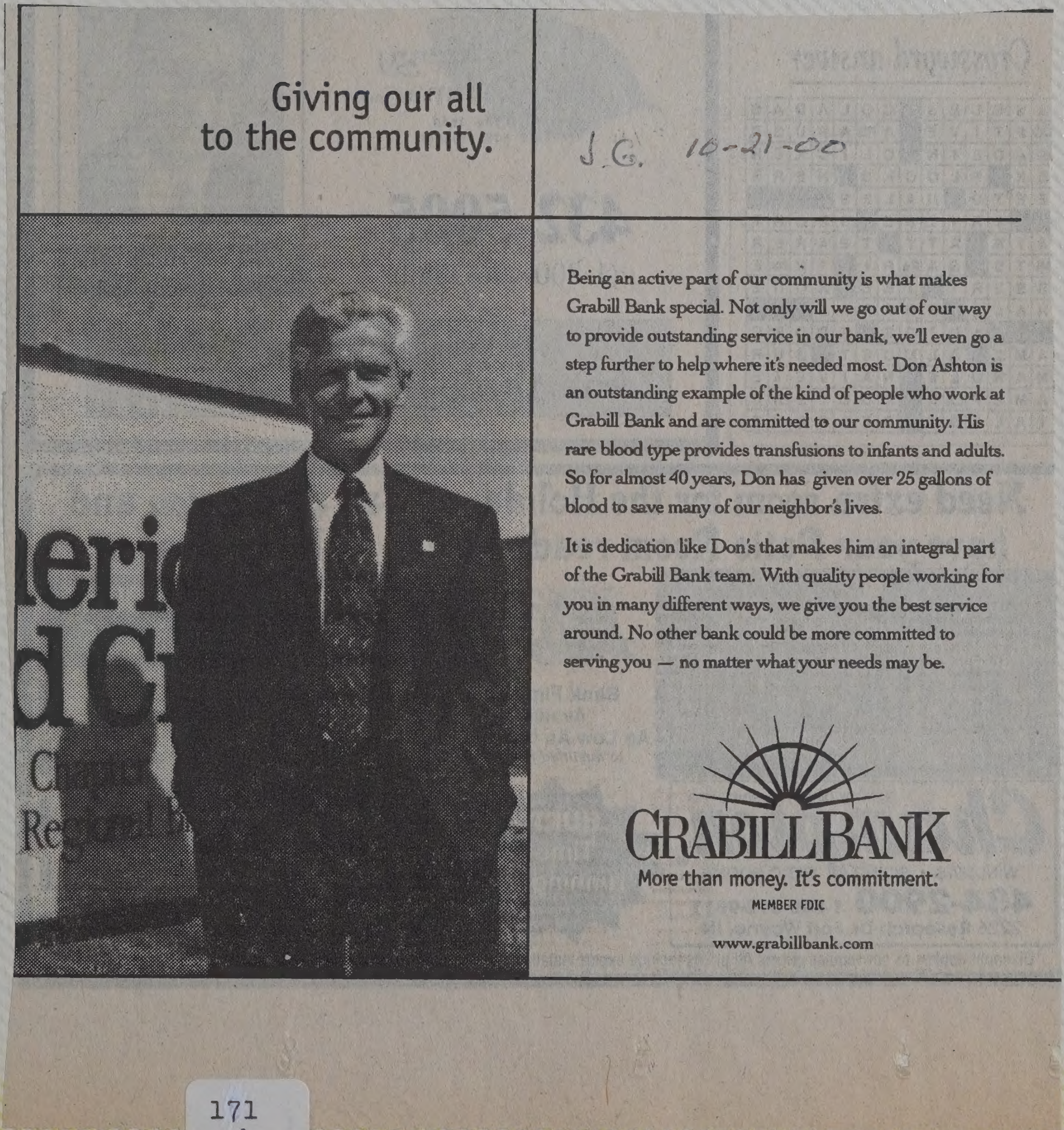
1997

8-1 Kelsey Elizabeth Jordan 1999 May 19

8-2 Riley Grace Jordan 2002 July 30

Ashton

Donald Ashton



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■ **Donald K. Ashton** was promoted to executive vice president at Grabill Bank.

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ENGAGEMENTS

Jason Scott Combs
Deborah Jo Ashton

ASHTON-COMBS — Deborah Jo Ashton, 7913 Pebble Creek Place, and Jason Scott Combs, Tyndall Air Force Base, Fla., are planning a wedding Jan. 25 at Pine Hills Church, 11331 Coldwater Road.

Their parents are Donald K. Ashton, 7913 Pebble Creek Place, and C. Jo Hummell, Albion; and Sharon Laws, Avilla, and the late Bernie Combs.

The bride-elect and her fiance graduated from Indiana University.

He is in the Air Force.

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George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherina Kuhn
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3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Rumble
6-2 Donald Kent Ashton and Carol Jo Mc Clellan

7-2 Deborah Jo Ashton "Debbie"

1970 May 3

Jason Scott Combs 1992 January 25 ★ Air Force

1/1998

8-1	Erika Ashton Combs	1997 January 30
8-2	Emily Rose Combs	1999 March 10

Robert Ashton

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Pamela Sue Ashton

QUINCY, Mich. — Pamela Sue Ashton, 22, of 327 E. Bryan St., Bryan, died Wednesday evening at the home of her brother-in-law, Dennis Ashton. She drowned while swimming in a swimming pool at the Ashton home. June 9, '76

She was born August 20, 1953 in Coldwater, Mich., the daughter of Wilbur and Doris (Dove) Williams. She married Robert Ashton June 11, 1972, in Quincy, Mich. They had lived in Bryan for the past four years.

She is survived by her husband; her parents, residents of Quincy; a grandmother, Mrs. Hubert Williams, Quincy; and two sisters, Mrs. Janice Kubiac, Quincy, and Mrs. Dianne Jones, Holt, Mich.

She was a member of the Eastland Baptist Church, Bryan. June 12, 1976

Services will be 2 p.m. Saturday at the Diedrich Funeral Home, Quincy, with the Rev. Jack Smith of the Eastland Baptist Church officiating. Burial will be in California Cemetery, Branch County, Michigan. Friends may call at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday.

Robert Ashton

READING, Mich. — Robert Ashton, 59, of Reading died Thursday, Dec. 27, 2001, at the Hillsdale County Medical Care Facility.

He was born March 29, 1942, in Van Wert County, the son of Harold and Ruth (Rumble) Ashton of Reading. In 1972, he married Pam Williams, who preceded him in death in 1976.

Mr. Ashton was employed at ARO Corp., Bryan.

Other survivors include:

Sisters — Sharon (Lou) Burke and Nina (Robert) Risk, both of Reading, and Marilyn (Robert) Rath of Simsbury, Conn.

Brothers — Dennis (Sharon) Ashton of Ortonville, Don Ashton of Fort Wayne, Ind., and William Ashton of Boca Raton, Fla.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday at the George White Funeral Home, Reading, with the Rev. Jeff Conolly officiating. Burial will follow at California Corners Cemetery in Branch County.

Calling hours are 2-3 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home.

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

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3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Rumble

6-3 Robert Allen Ashton

March 29, 1942 Van Wert Co., OH

December 27, 2001 Hillsdale Co. MI
burial: California Corners, Branch
County, MI

Pamela Williams 1972 June 11 Branch Co., MI

1953 August 20 Coldwater, MI

June 9 1976 drowned Oakland Co., MI
California Cemetery
Branch Co., MI

Sharon L. Burke

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherina Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnarle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Rumble

6-4 Sharon Louise Ashton

October 1, 1943 Van Wert Co., Ohio

m. Robert Louis Burke November 17, 1962 Hillsdale Co., Mi

August 5, 1943 Hillsdale Co., MI

7-1 Jennifer Louise Burke July 25, 1967 Hillsdale Co

7-2 Gretchen Ann Burke April 6, 1969 Hillsdale Co.

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherina Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnarle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Helen Rumble
6-4 Sharon Louise Ashton and Robert Louis Burke

7-1 Jennifer Louise Burke

1967 July 25 Hillsdale Co., MI

m. John Kast 1985 October 12 Hillsdale Co., MI

1967 November 4 Michigan

8-1 Kristi Lynn Kast 1986 April 3 Hillsdale Co.,

8-2 Kali Michelle Kast 1989 September 29

1/98

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherina Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnarle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Helen Rumble
6-4 Sharon Louise Ashton and Robert Louis Burke

7-2 Gretchen Ann Burke

1969 April 6 Hillsdale Co.

fa: Richey Case

m. Deon Mc Cord 1988 Hillsdale Co. div.
1969

m. Terry Smith 1992 November 22 Hillsdale Co
1968

8-1 Michael Robert Burke	1987 April 13 Hillsdale Co.
8-2 Tyler Lee McCord	1988 November 15 Hillsdale Co
8-3 Luke Allen Smith	1993 February 26 Hillsdale Co
8-4 Jacob Nathaniel Smith	1996 August 16 Hillsdale Co.
8-5 Isaac Ashton Smith	1999 December 13 Hillsdale

William Ashton

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George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherina Kuhn
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3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Rumble

6-5 William Arden Ashton

March 11, 1945 Van Wert Co. Ohio

Peggy Turner June 6, 1964 divorced

September 1, 1945

resided: Lansing, Michigan

m. Donnis Taylor 1987 May 9 Stanfield, North Carolina

1952 June 22 North Carolina

1 Edward Wayne)

2 Andrea Tripplett)

Donnis by prior marriage

Marilyn Ashton Rath

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catharine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnarle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Helen Rumble

6-6 Marilyn Ruth Ashton RN/ Viet Nam

1946 October 20 Pleasant Twp., Van Wert Co., Ohio ★

m. Robert Rath 1974 April 6 Reading, Mi

1953 Washington, DC

7-1 Zachary Ashton Rath 1979 April 13 Hillsdale Co.
adopted

7-2 Kelsey Ashton Rath 1983 June 13 Nashville, Tn
adopted

1/98

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnarle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Helen Rumble
6-6 Marilyn Ruth Ashton and Robert Rath

7-1 Zachary Ashton Rath

1979 April 13 Hillsdale Co., MI

Nina Ashton Johnson

MR. and MRS. JAMES JOHNSON

Ashton, Johnson Rites Solemnized

READING —Nina Ashton and James Johnson were married in the North Reading Baptist Church.

The Rev. Charles Bloomer performed the afternoon double ring ceremony in the presence of the immediate family. Candelabra, palms and arrangements of white gladioli and chrysanthemums decorated the altar. Marian Dickey played a prelude of organ music, and "The Lord's Prayer" as the couple knelt at the altar.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length Empire styled gown of embroidered silk organza. The high neckline and Bishop sleeves were edged with Venise lace. A headpiece of matching lace petals held her fingertip veil of illusion, and she carried a cascade of white roses and hyacinths.

Marilyn Ashton was her sister's maid of honor. She wore a floor-length gown fashioned with a bodice of white lace with long sleeves and a skirt of yellow crepe. Her headpiece was a cluster of yellow flowers and a veil of matching illusion, and she carried a nosegay of yellow roses and white carnations.

John Johnson was his brother's best man, and ushers were Don Ashton and Robert Ashton, brothers of the bride.

Immediately following the nuptial ceremony, a reception was held in the church parlors. Marie Hoard and Thelma Bloomer were hostesses and Becky Wiler registered the guests. Sharon Burke, sister of the bride, cut the tiered wedding cake which was trimmed with yellow. Marian Dickey served punch, and Jill Ashton assisted with the gifts.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ashton of rte. 2, Reading. She was graduated from Reading High School and is employed at the Hillsdale County Medical Care Facility.

The bridegroom is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Joe Johnson of Jenkins, Ky. He was graduated from Dorton High School in Jenkins, Ky., and is employed at Addison Products in Jonesville.

The couple took a wedding trip to Kentucky and are now at home at 126 S. Manning St., Hillsdale.

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Helen Rumble

6-7 **Nina Elizabeth** Ashton

1948 September 4 Van Wert Co., Ohio

m. James Johnson 1969 divorced

1948 April Kentucky

m. Robert Risk 1985 August 20 Brooksville, FL

1950

7-1 Joseph Harold Johnson 1971 September 4 Branch Co. Mi

7-2 Jason Geronimo Johnson 1976 March 11 Branch Co., Mi

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George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherine Kuhn
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3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Helen Rumble
6-7 Nina Elizabeth Ashton and James Johnson

7-1 Joseph Harold Johnson

1971 September 4 Branch Co., MI

m Tammi D. 1993 Kentucky

8-1 Roxanne Elizabeth Johnson 1994 January 1 - Kantucky

8-2 Chyenne Lindsey Jo Johnson 1994 October 19

1-98 8-3 Joseph James Johnson 1999 January 14

8-4 Jarrett Tyler Johnson 1999 November 19

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1- Frederick Mohr and Katherina Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
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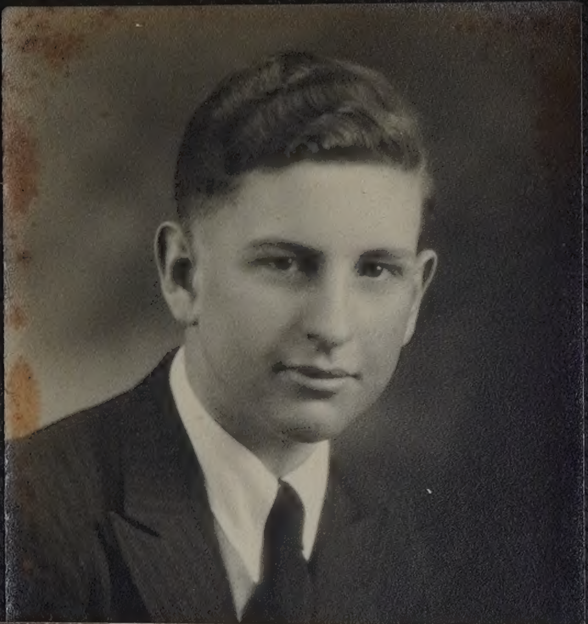
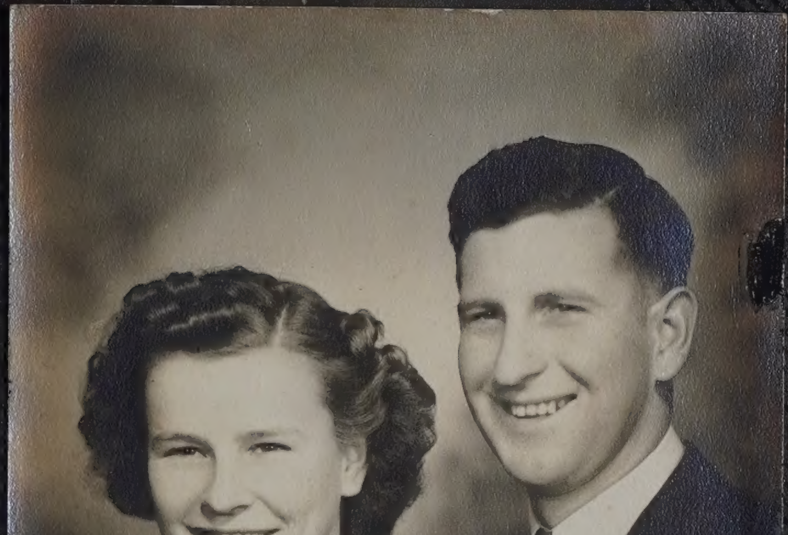
6-7 Nina Elizabeth Ashton and James Johnson

7-2 Jason Geranimo Johnson

1976 March 11, Branch Co., Mi





Carl Ashton

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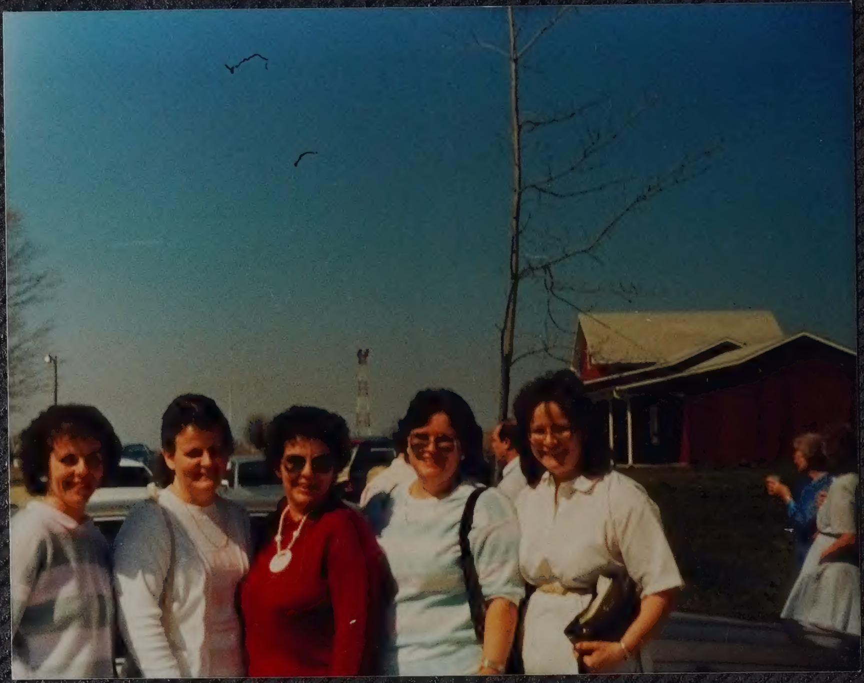

Arlene, Rose, Darlene,
Janet, Brenda

Carl & Saralene's daughters
Harold & Ruth's 50th

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Haviland

CARL D. ASHTON, 81, died Saturday at Vancrest Healthcare Center, Van Wert. Born in Paulding County, he was a farmer. He retired in 1980 after 30 years at the General Motors foundry in Defiance. Surviving are his wife, Saralene "Sara" M.; five daughters, Janet Fleenor of Haviland, Rose Holtsberry of Paulding, Arlene Grandstaff of Van Wert, Darlene Bird of Celina, and Brenda Faust of Defiance; two brothers, Harold of Reading, Mich., and Russell of Wheat Ridge, Colo.; 15 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Barbara. **Services at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Alspach-Gearhart Funeral Home, Van Wert. Calling from 2 to 9 p.m. Tuesday.** Burial in Mohr Cemetery, rural Van Wert. Memorials to Scott EMS.

In memory of

Carl D. Ashton

Born

July 11, 1916

Date of Death

February 28, 1998

Services from

Alspach-Gearhart Funeral Home

March 4, 1998

10:30AM

Officiating

Rev. Wayne Karges

Interment

Mohr Cemetery

Arrangements by
Alspach-Gearhart Funeral Home
Van Wert, Ohio

In memory of

Saralene M. "Sara" Ashton

Born

November 28,1922

Date of Death

June 14,2000

Services from

Alspach-Gearhart Funeral Home

June 19,2000

11:00 AM

Officiating

Rev. Paul Miller

Interment

Mohr Cemetery
Van Wert Co.,Oh.

Arrangements by
Alspach-Gearhart Funeral Home
Van Wert, Ohio

Haviland

SARALENE M. "SARA" ASHTON, 77, died Wednesday at Van Wert Manor Nursing Home. Born in Van Wert County, she was a homemaker. Her husband, Carl D., died in 1998. Surviving are five daughters, Janet Fleenor of Haviland, Rose Holtsberry of Paulding, Arlene Grandstaff of Ohio City, Darlene Bird of Celina and Brenda Faust of Defiance; a brother, Harold Frey of Scott; a sister, Ruth Mohr of Scott; 15 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren. She also was preceded in death by a daughter, Barbara Hire. **Services at 11 a.m. EDT (10 a.m. Fort Wayne time) Monday at Alspach-Gearhart Funeral Home, Van Wert. Calling from 2 to 8 p.m. EDT Sunday.** Burial in Mohr Cemetery, rural Van Wert County. Memorials to Scott EMS.

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George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton

5-3 Carl Doyt Ashton

July 11, 1916

February 28, 1998 Mohr Cemetery ★

Saralene Marguerite Frey (3d cousin) 1944

November 28, 1922

June 14, 2000 meningitis

6-1	Janet Kay Ashton	May 17, 1945	
6-2	Rose Marie Ashton	June 8, 1947	
6-3	Arlene Sue Ashton		)
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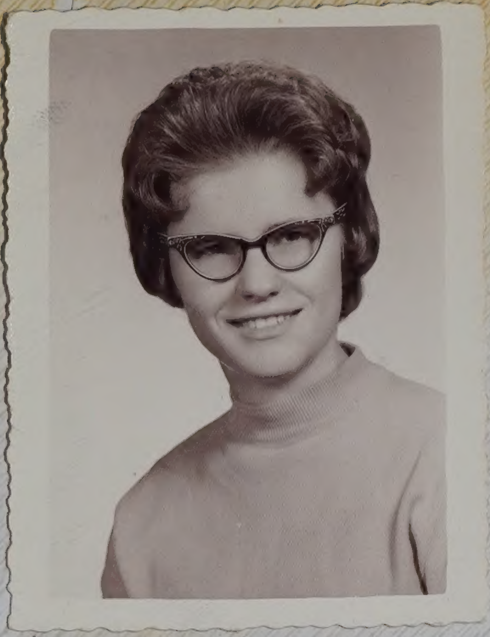
6-4	Darlene Lou Ashton	December 12, 1948 (	
6-5	Barbara Jean Ashton	December 15, 1950	
6-6	Brenda Ann Ashton	May 25, 1953	



Janet Ashton

8 July 1957

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3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-3 Carl Doyt Ashton and Saralene Marguerite Frey

6-1 Janet Kay Ashton

May 17, 1945

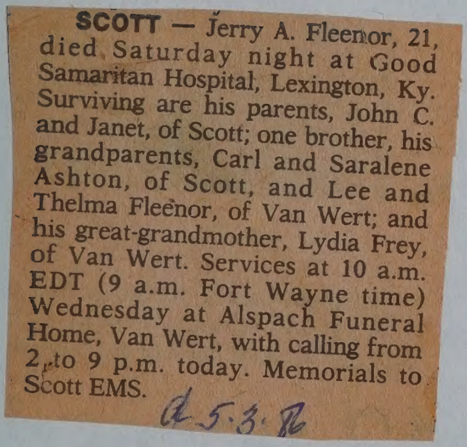
John Charles Fleenor

February 17, 1944

m. February 15, 1964

7-1 Jerry Alan Fleenor August 15, 1964
May 3, 1986

7-2 James David Fleenor May 18, 1971



SCOTT — Jerry A. Fleenor, 21, died Saturday night at Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, Ky. Surviving are his parents, John C. and Janet, of Scott; one brother, his grandparents, Carl and Saralene Ashton, of Scott, and Lee and Thelma Fleenor, of Van Wert; and his great-grandmother, Lydia Frey, of Van Wert. Services at 10 a.m. EDT (9 a.m. Fort Wayne time) Wednesday at Alspach Funeral Home, Van Wert, with calling from 2 to 9 p.m. today. Memorials to Scott EMS.

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George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

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2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 "innie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-3 Carl Doyt Ashton and Saralene Marguerite Frey
6-1 Janet Kay Ashton and John Charles Fleenor

7-2 James David Fleenor

1971 May 18

8-1 Bre Anna Stegman 1994 May 17

8-2 Karla Rose Mosier 1995 February 15

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Rose Marie Ashton
"Class of 1965

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Saran Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-3 Carl Doyt Ashton and Saralene Marguerite Frey

6-2 Rose Marie Ashton

June 8, 1947

Roger Leo Holtsberry June 20, 1965

December 16, 1944

7-1	Christine Marie Holtsberry	October 8, 1965
7-2	Kimberly Jo Holtsberry	March 28, 1970
7-3	Kelly Ann Holtsberry	January 4, 1973
7-4	Bradley Michael Holtsberry	February 18, 1975

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1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-3 Carl Doyt Ashton and Saralene Marguerite Frey
6-2 Rose Marie Ashton and Roger Leo Holtsberry

7-1 Christine Marie Holtsberry

1965 October 8

m. Brian Hupp

8-1 **Megan Alyssia Hupp** 1995 **April 25**

8-2 Joel Edward Hupp 199

11/98

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-3 Carl Doyt Ashton and Saralene Marguerite Frey
6-2 Rose Marie Ashton and Roger Leo Holtsberry

7-2 Kimberly Jo Holtsberry

1970 March 28

David Johnson 1994

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8-1 Abby Johnson 1999 February

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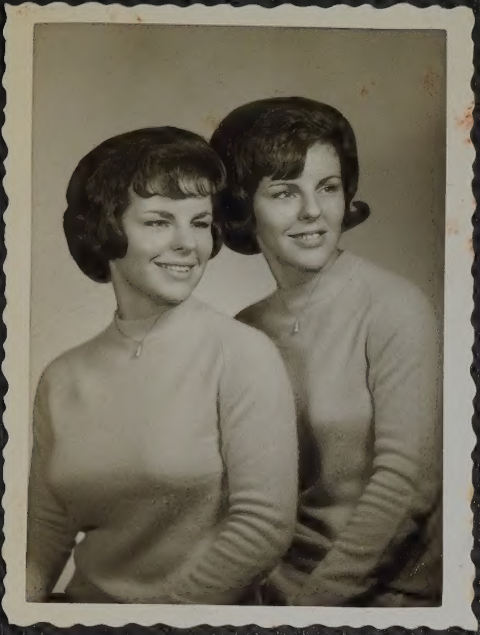
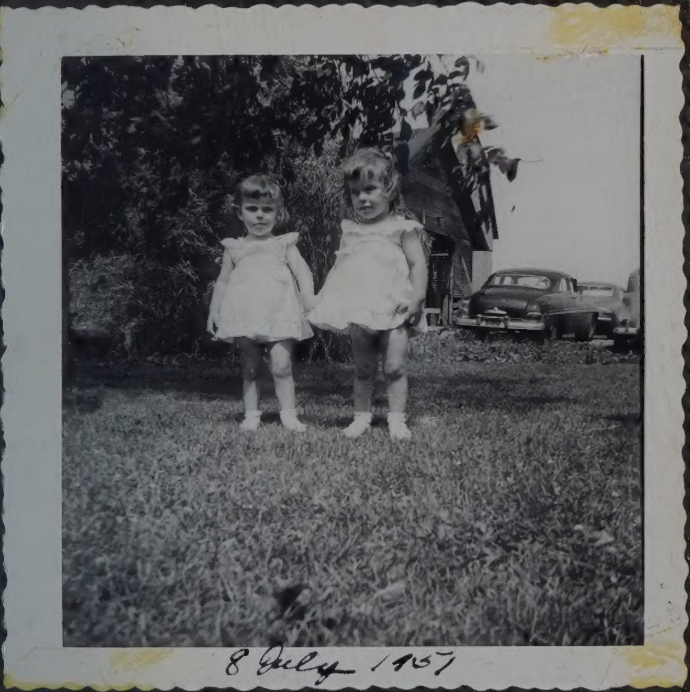


Arlene & Darlene
Ashton



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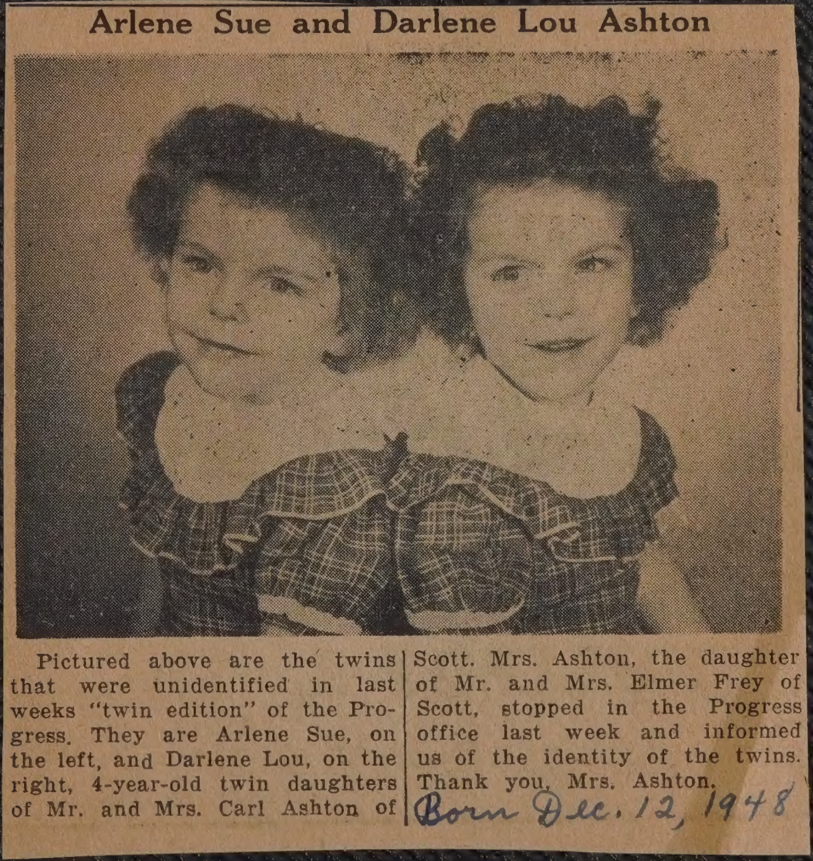

Arlene Sue and Darlene Lou Ashton

Pictured above are the twins that were unidentified in last weeks "twin edition" of the Progress. They are Arlene Sue, on the left, and Darlene Lou, on the right, 4-year-old twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ashton of Scott. Mrs. Ashton, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Frey of Scott, stopped in the Progress office last week and informed us of the identity of the twins. Thank you, Mrs. Ashton.

Born Dec. 12, 1948

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George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mar Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-3 Carl Doyt Ashton and Saralene Marguerite Frey

6-3 Arlene Sue Ashton twin

December 12, 1948

Richard Grandstaff June 8, 1969

April 22,

7-1	Randy Eric Grandstaff	Setpember 28, 1971
7-2	Sherrie Renee Grandstaff	May 14, 1975
7-3	Ryan Neal Grandstaff	December 10, 1978

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-3 Carl Doyt Ashton and Saralene Marguerite Frey
6-3 Arlene Sue Ashton - Richard Grandstaff

7-1 Randy Eric Grandstaff

1971 September 28

m Deanna Schleeter **1994 September 10**

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8-1	Mycah	Grandstaff	1996 October 1
8-2	Dylan	Grandstaff	1999 February 19

2-1 Frederich Mohr and Catherine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-3 Carl Doyt Ashton and Saralene Marguerite Frey
6-3 Arlene Sue Ashton and Richard Grandstaff

7-3 Ryan Neal Grandstaff

1978 December 10 National Guard 1997 ★

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George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catharine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-3 Carl Doyt Ashton and Saralene Marguerite Frey

6-4 Darlene Lou Ashton

December 12, 1948 twin

Richard Bird October 12, 1969 ★ Viet Nam
Air Force

d. 1999 August 12 53 Y

7-1	Duane Eugene Bird	August 3, 1970
7-2	Donald Joseph Bird	September 29, 1971
7-3	Danny Douglas Bird	March 18, 1977

George Mohr and Elizabeth Holtzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catharine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
503 Carl Doyt Ashton and Saralene Marguerite Frey
6-4 Darlene Lou Ashton and Richard Bird

7-1 Duane Eugene Bird Air Force ★

1970 August 3

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in Colorado Springs

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catharine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-3 Carl Doyt Ashton and Saralene Marguerite Frey
6-4 Darlene Lou Ashton and Richard Bird

7-2 Donald Joseph Bird

29 September 1971

m. Mindi

8-1 Kendall Sara Bird 15 December 2003
Vant Wert Hospital

Van Wert

BARBARA JEAN HIRE, 46, died Saturday at Van Wert Manor. A native of Scott, she was a child care provider in her home. Surviving are her parents, Carl and Saralene Ashton of Haviland; her husband, Charles; a daughter, Tamara Hire of Fort Wayne; a son, Adam Hire at home; five sisters, Janet Fleenor of Haviland, Rose Holtsberry of Paulding, Arelene Grandstaff of Van Wert, Darlene Bird of Celina and Brenda Faust of Defiance; and a grandchild. **Services at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Brickner Funeral Home, Van Wert. Calling from 2 to 9 p.m. today.** Burial in Woodland Cemetery, Van Wert. Memorials to the family or the American Cancer Society.

Celina

RICHARD D. BIRD, 53, died Thursday in a car crash at Ohio 81 and Ohio 118 in Van Wert County. Born in Decatur, Ind., he was an Air Force veteran of the Vietnam War and worked as a tool and die maker at Federal Mogul in Van Wert. He was also an assistant leader and committee chairman of the Rockford (Ohio) Boy Scouts. Surviving are his wife, Darlene; three sons, Duane of Great Falls, Mont., and Donald and Daniel, both of Celina; and a brother, Jim of Celina. **Services at 10:30 a.m. EDT (9:30 a.m. Fort Wayne time) Monday at St. John Lutheran Church, Celina. Calling from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. EDT today at W.H. Dick & Sons Funeral Home, Celina, and at the church an hour before services.** Burial in Mercer Memory Gardens, Celina. Memorials to the church or donor's choice.

BIRTH

Don and Mindi Bird of Coldwater announce the birth of their first child, a daughter.

Kendall Sara Bird was born on Monday, December 15, 2003, at 5:26 p.m. at Van Wert County Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. 8 ozs. and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Nick and Deb Schroer and Darlene Bird all of Celina and the late Richard Bird.

Great-grandparents are Melvin and Mary Hull of Celina and Marcella Schroer of Eloy, Arizona and the late Harold Schroer.

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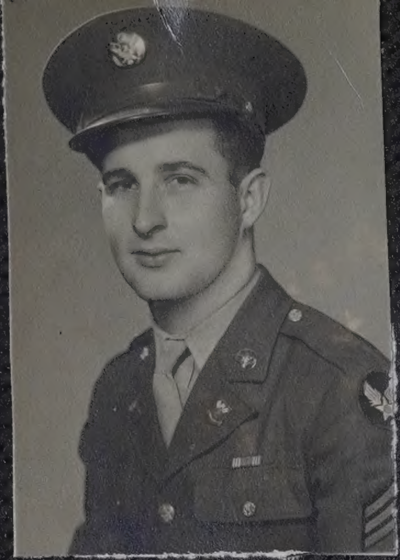

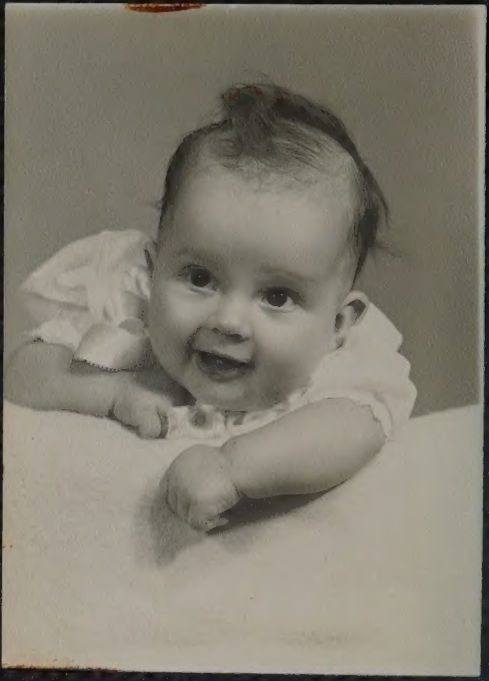

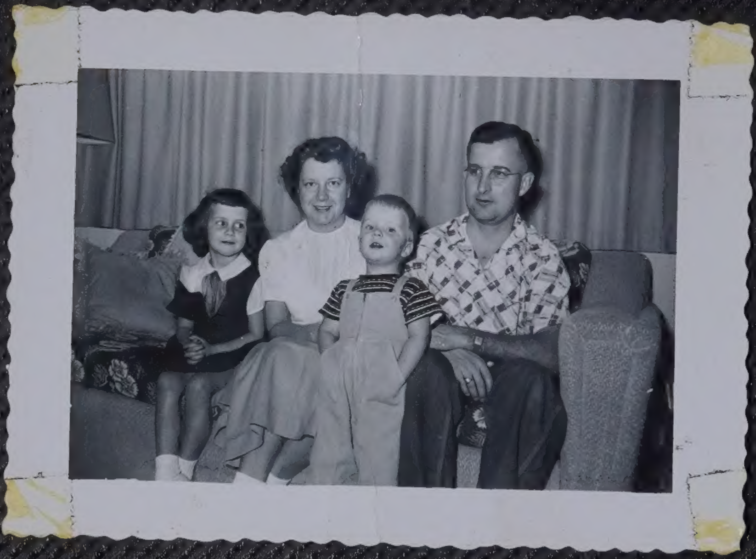

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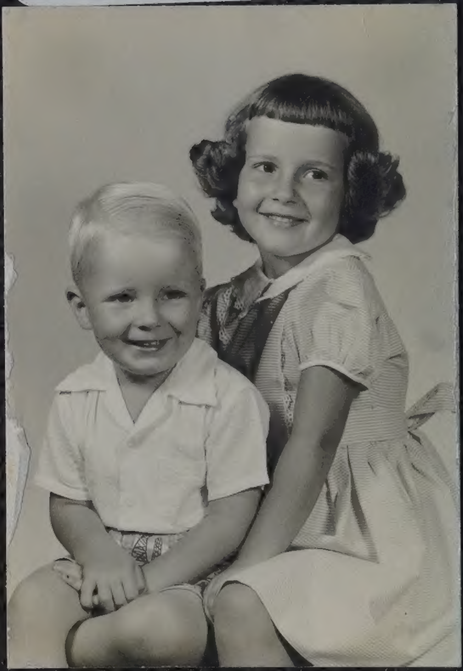

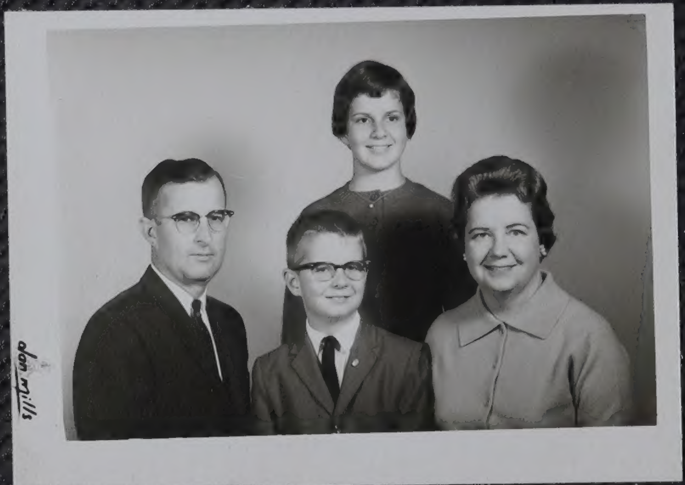

Russell, Roger, Maxine
Diane Ashton

4-9-03

Lorn + Ken

Surprise - will use the folder from the photo Co as envelope, also bore you with a few wedding pics - everyone enjoys a certain amount of pics don't they? It was good to hear from you as always - Our trip (trips) went well & we were gone most of a month and got home in time for the blizzard of the Century - largest since 1913 they said - We had 30 inches of snow on the driveway and some places had more, Lots of broken limbs on trees but nothing serious - Snow Blower worked well - over worked perhaps I should say. This was the only "real" snow we had in town this year and have had a small one again this weekend 3" I believe. The Mountains have been buried with snow and are now extending the ski season - But spring is here forsythia and Peach, Plum Bushes are in blossom!

While in Fla in Dec, Harold mentioned that the Haviland School had been torn down this summer, guess it ended up belonging to Village of Haviland + expenses were too great - What would they use a bldg that size for? Part of it had been Condemned at one time. Diane was with me at Carl's funeral and she took some pics of "Where Dad went to school".

Your speaking of the Fast family in Michigan, brings back memories -

Believe Alta Fast was Alta Foust - John & Jim's sister.

George Foust lived 1/2 mile West for many years, in fact in about 1939-40 We (neighbors) put out a roof fire on their house. About noon time the party line phone rang - Uncle Geo's house is on fire and Do you know we put it out with a bucket brigade!, I happened to be the end of line pouring Water on fire & release bucket to roll down roof to be re-filled. Once I got to Close & the shingles gave way + I lost most of the hair on both legs! The fire must not have got much of a start or We would have lost - after fire Vernon Pond & I did a quick inspection in the attic & found a couple bricks missing in an unlined Chimney!

Cassie Foust must have died young as Uncle Geo was married again. I never really thought of him as being married to a Gottlieb Mohr dau.

Referring to 1939-40, my memories go sort of before and after Dec 31, 1941 - After hi school I spent parts of 37 + 38 in 7Thayne and probably early 39 Jobs were nowhere it seemed. Then I got into the Combine Biz with Carl Harold had married + took his combine ~~[illegible]~~ with him, So I ended up with a new outfit - Lots of grain needed Cutting and the Bank & Allis Chalmers thought it was a good idea - I look back and

We were operating 3 Combines at one time.

Wonder how we were able to buy that new equipment. — I was a 20-21 year old kid with a new Combine outfit, Someone was trusting, looking over us or something — But we made out and paid off the Bank. I probably operated the Combines 1939-40 & 41 seasons, Guess what early 1942 we had a farm auction & I sold out — Carl keeping what he needed at appraisal — that 1939 Tractor — (last one we bot new) was still stored in the old Chicken house when I was there for Carls funeral in 1989 — He intended to restore it, and still had all the tires, orig equip etc in tact. I told John Fleenor he should see that Saralene got more than junk iron price for it, Have no idea where it ended — Also that chicken house which Carl used for equip storage, Came from the Ted Davis farm — did you realize that? It was moved & we put a cement foundation under it & corrugated steel roof. It and the house are only two bldgs left — you've seen the house has been renovated & looks great = Mom kept 100 or 200 hens in that chicken house and was a good source of income in those years.

about the 20 acres - Winnie Ashton -
news to me too - but I'm guessing
she or they bot the 20 acres as we
called it, 1/2 mile south of our
house down the "mud road".
We had 20 acres there & 80 on
home place. That 20 acres
belonged to Frank Ashton until
he died & then my dad & his
widow divided & it came back to
Dad - was still in our estate
when Mom died (She had a life
estate in our entire farm) which
worked out real well -

Anyway the 40 acres where our
house set was originally owned
by Frank Ashton and sold, traded
or what have you? to Morg & Winnie
I'm guessing the 20 acres (Hoaglin Twp)
was part of the payment.
The 40 acres West of our house came
from David & Elda Mohr farm. Mom
bot (inherited part, I suppose) according to
deed documents.

Well too much rambling
Must close - Always good
to hear from you all -

Russell & Maxine

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7/18/02

Dear Lorna & Ken

We always enjoy hearing from you and any info-news you may have, however we are the poorest Correspondents on the planet. Upon receiving your recent, including notice of the Cousins picnic I said to myself - get going - If only I had an E Mail connected to my brain and only to push a button to produce letter! Have may thoughts at times but don't get them written down in a timely fashion. Then too I don't even have an E mail or Computer only an old typewriter which makes mistakes!

Doubt that our family needs an update. Still two grandsons, however they both have steady girlfriends, but hope that doesn't count. Aaron is in Japan since last Sept teaching English to the Japanese! His girl friend is also teaching in the same program and perhaps had something to do with his re-enlisting (for lack of better term) for another Year. She is from San Francisco & they are located 200-300 miles North of Tokay in Rogato. Aaron was here for a Week in late April. Best man at his best friends wedding in New Orleans - Flew Tokayo to Houston 11 hours non-stop. These Kids certainly do get around in this world. Now Diane is planning to Visit Tokayo this fall - October I believe.

Corey the #2 Grandson is a Junior in CU and enjoying every minute of it, Which is good - We go up to Boulder (30 mi) on occasion and buy his lunch, he's such a big Kid, always hungry and eats like a football player!

Enjoyed the Foust School Souvenir you sent. Recognized most of the people believe it or not. Only Stephensons are no where to be found anymore. Apparently they built the barn where my Grandfather Ashton lived, just south of Keysors. Richard Lay now owns it. In slate shingles on East side of Barn roof - was the name Stephenson - may still be there. Also enjoyed the pics of your family - must say you must be the smallest of the lot and an exact image of your Mother! You mentioned Everett Girod's daughter once, whom I never met, but did visit with Everett + Frances about 1996-1997 when I was in Van Wert one Day. Went to lunch with Doyle Sealscott and they lived across street from Doyle + we stopped to see them. Nice visit getting ready to go to Florida, Believe he died the following spring + of course she also passed away - a yr or two later.

PS Doyle lived about one Block straight
West of aunt Sabina + Byron and their House vacant
house had a For SALE Sign - - Time wise
must have been the same month she moved to Okla!

Jenner
their farm backed up to ours & rode the School Bus - I also got to know Everett quite well thru some other Contacts =

Sounds like you folks keep busy at the food kitchen etc - thats real good keep at it because when you get to our situation you cant do such things - We havent gone any place the past couple of years. Maxine doesnt want to travel & is quite forgetful - Doesnt do a lot of Cooking anymore but reads the Amish receipts without much production! Hope to go to Steamboat Spgs next week for the rest of the month. Its about 150 mi drive & we still have our place there - Fires are close but no danger - they are 20 miles north in the Mts. the 2 & 3 wks of the Hayman fire (50 mi so of Denver) we got a lot of haze - smoky stuff, thought we were in Chicago or the Rouge Plant in Detroit. Talked with Harold a week or so ago & they are fine in MI

Would really like to attend the "Cousin Reunion" but just doesnt seem to be in the Cards this year - Best Close this boring epistle - thanks for all your informative notes - Keep in Touch
Maxine & Russell

KAPALUA SUNSET
The world famous sunset of Maui creates an aura of beauty and tranquility which helps make this beautiful island one of world's most popular resort areas.
Photo by P. French

Wed

Hi - Im sure you are
familiar with all the
happenings in our
family recently. What
started as a quiet trip
to a Sacramento wedding
+ on to Maui took a detour
thru Hillsdale - But we
came thru OK and are in Maui.
If I could get the cooks approval
would stay for the winter, but
will have to go home in a
couple of weeks I guess.
Keep in touch
Russell ^ [illegible]

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Dear Lorna

Thank you so much for your newsy letter, and note re Aunt Florence, which I will return as you might want to keep it. I won't mention "things" to anyone - I fact I seldom hear from or see anyone from home anymore.

We had a Card finally from Aunt Florence, just signed - no newsy notes as she has done for 70+ odd years! so it figures ← Also a Card from Aunt Sabina - with just a line, they were fine but showing "some aging" I'd say -

I can understand
Aunt Florence's - "determinatio
have seen it in several
people before and that is
what helps keep them
going - their independenc
etc - more power to them
so long as no accidents
etc - Our Mother's were
both of that breed!

These insurance plans for the
elderly are a Crime - I have
clients who seem to buy
from anyone who comes along

Again thanks so much
for your help & all the
news

As Ever
Russell.

Happy New Years

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Monday Feb 3, 2003

Dear Lorna & Ken

Thought I'd surprise you and sit down and scribble a few notes. Cant remember what may have been said on Xmas Cards so dont be surprised if I duplicate. We made a trip to Florida in early Dec and helped Harold celebrate his 88th - flew into Orlando and was there most of the week - Every-one well and we all enjoyed the trip. Weather was great except for 5" of rain one day! That was good to know there is still rain up there some where? We havent had moisture for month's it seems, drouth worst in 100 years - January Zero snow - except for mountains, they got dumped on - Good for the ski industry! I said everyone healthy etc - now I understand Harold has been in the hospital with a urinary infection & plus complications - Hope he gets along O/K - weather wise - Weve had our first real snow in Denver this year - starting Feb out to about 4" on the ground and now they say expect zero - Has been up to 70° day time

and about freezing at night -

Our big event is Roger getting married Feb 15 in Sacramento - Everyone, except the grandson in Japan are expected to show - Mary is a very lovely person, we've met her several times and like her very much and wish them well - already bought a house - Roger works for the Univ of Calif in Davis and a part time sponsor of Habitat for Humanity. I think he enjoys building houses better than his job at the Univ! Mary works for the Heifer Proj International. I assume you know about that organization. She travels some and sets up projects in such places as Bosnia, Italy, Vietnam, Mexico and points in between plus Western United States. Diane still with Public Health in El Paso Cty (Colo Spgs) and has currently been responsible for setting up the structure to vaccinate all public health employees for Smallpox! She was up here for dinner the other evening and seems overwhelmed + Doesn't exactly agree with Bush's planned program for vaccinations.

We plan on attending the Wedding
and then go on to Maui for at least
a couple Weeks - Unless Maxine
plays out before that! But we
think it will work out - Reservations
for day travel - None of that 'Red Eye'
all night stuff - too old been there
Done that!

Best Close this Chatter - We
seldom hear from anyone (who's left)
back in Ohio & Ind, except Christmas
Cards & such - so its always
good to hear from you folks.

We get occasional notes from
Helen - Guess you'd say she's
fully retired now and not
completely settled into that
life style - Carol Ann & girls
have continual problems and
that "gets to" Helen I think.
(daughter) Laura has severe health problems
- latest I'd say operation for
Brain tumor - Cancer) so it
makes a bad situation.

Miss & Cheers

As Ever
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July 15, 2003

Lorna

We always enjoy your newsy letters. and the Clippings - The Indiana Hotel brings back memories, interesting it's still standing. The Lobby across from the College was a nice meeting and drop off place especially during those 'long Winter' Days. The Embassy has quite a part also, however we never had that extra $1,00 or even 60¢ for admission etc we needed to buy breakfast at a "little shack" next Door to the Intl College

Will enclose a 'sheet' for our family, we Did have an addition this year! Corey is being married next January. data on ~~that~~ later. Aaron is in process of packing to move back, After 2 years north of Tokoyo. His next station, he hopes, to land in Hawaii, perhaps about labor Day. The old saying how do you keep them down on the farm after they've seen Pari? Hawaii? Tokoyo? NYC? He will do ok and stay out of trouble, speaks Japanese quite well!

The Ashton side will probably be absent from the Cousins Day this year - We've done enough long dist traveling for this year & doubt that Ruth would make it - Harald was always

big on reunions - Had a note from Ruth
recently and believe their family
reunion is planned for the 19th
I think they had 40-45 family last
year - had to set up in the new Barn.

Marilyn from CT & Bill from Fla ~~were~~ are
expected so should have a good Crowd.
Marilyn went to Fla & helped Ruth
Close up & fly back to MI - left car in Fla - in perhaps April.

You probably knew, Marilyn & Bob
were in Australia when Harold
passed away. Modern Communications!
She got on the phone & they all met in
Detroit & were at the funeral Zach
from CA and Kelsey from TN. They stopped at
our house last August en route to CA - Kelsey
College Room mate lives in E. Denver.
Zack wasn't with them —

Aunt Clara —

Summer has arrived Denver
100° days the past week & more
forecast —

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Maxine Weller Denver, Colorado March 3, 1946

January 16, 1921

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6-1 Diane Rae Ashton September 4, 1949

6-2 Roger Morgan Ashton July 30, 1952

Dear Lorna 9-10-05

Thanks again for all the info re Cousins reunion, pics and family happenings. Intended to write when we rec'd the reunion notice but just didn't get it done. As you can note we have had a lot of "happenings" in our family this summer. Our first Great grandchild arrived last week and of course that required a trip next day to see him. Everyone is doing fine & he seems to be a very healthy 8# baby. I'd forgotten how heavy a 10# bag of sugar was! Comparing same to the baby. Diane has been on cloud 9-10-11?, anticipating baby arrival, but she came thru it OK!

She was in Houston week of Aug 8 for her 3-4 month check up - CAT scan PET scan etc etc. They gave her a clean bill and she's back to work, first part time & now full time. She tires out yet and needs to "slow down". Needs oxygen at night, which seemed strange to me at first but guess it's realistic — the body functions slower at nite & thus less breathing + less oxygen - needs supplement. She will be going to Houston regularly for a week every three months or so until she is finally "released". Could probably be a year or two. Guess we told you we rented an apt in Houston for 3 months and some of the family was in Houston with Diane the whole period - Sons Corey & Aaron showed up as a surprise on Mother's day - Aaron is now in Oakland CA teaching + going to school. The apt was just across street

from park in which the Astro dome is located — a very busy place at the moment with the refugees. Roger was with us a few days in Houston but Mary didn't make it, she was travelling business in Peru, she did phone from Dallas one Sun AM enroute home — They went on to Maui for a couple wks vac in August,

Sounds like your 60th Class reunion was enjoyable I went to our 50th, about the only one I've attended, in Haviland and it was very nice, that was the spring after Frances died — so long time ago. Mentioning Jim Baker thru the years I'd got to know him and also knew his sister Inez quite well, believe she was older & there was a younger sister — Lived north of the Taylor Church. Believe it was at Carls funeral (wake) he was telling me how he would be playing in their yard & he would watch those Ashton Bros going up the road with AC combines running in Hi gear — Probably the years we had a farm near Broughton and going down to cut soy Beans — Some memories! AC had a 15 MPH Road gear

Too bad re your brother Lloyd but such relationships exist & not much can be done from yours (ours) standpoint. I remember when he lived in Lakewood We'd see him on occasion. Also he visited here when your folks were here one time — Must have been 40 yrs ago? Had a small boy & he & Roger played with a train set in the basement. Roger could have been in the area of 10 yrs of age?

We haven't heard from Ruth Ashton

this summer, but I'm sure she's in Michigan. Will have to phone her one of these times and give her a big surprise. Of Course with all their family and I Don't re-call how may great grand Children they have, but I'm sure she's busy — and far from being alone. Dennis & Sharon are nearby in Florida as is Bill & Diane. I think Dennis has a home in the same park as Ruth & Harold. We were there several times, its sort of a "gated Community" without gates - Very nice and Homeowners assoc, looks after things Very handy for absentee owners —

Have an apptment next month with orthopedic Doctor to consider what to do re my right hip - Dr say exray's show all Cartilage is gone & almost bone to bone - Does get rather sore at times well best sign off for now.

Keep in touch —

Love
Maxine
& Russell.

Glad that Helen keeps in touch especially w Diane. Helen Can be rather non-Communicative at times - Carol Ann's Laura is in Very precarious shape Id guess

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James Nakai in Denver, Colorado, October 6, 1973
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7-1 Aaron James Nakai 10 September 1975

7-2 Corey Ashton Nakai 24 September 1979

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we realize how much
our friends really mean
to us . . . . .
Your expression
of sympathy will always
be remembered

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23rd Psalm

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:
He leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul:
He leadeth me in the paths of
Righteousness for His name's sake.
Yea though I walk through the valley
Of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil:
For thou art with me;
Thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me
In the presence of mine enemies;
Thou anointest my head with oil;
My cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow
Me all the days of my life; and I will dwell
In the house of the Lord for ever.

The Serenity Prayer

God, grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, courage to change the things I can, and the wisdom to know the difference.

Living one day at a time, accepting hardships as the pathway to peace, taking as He did, this world as it is, not as I would have it.

Trusting that he will make all things right if I surrender to His will, that I may be reasonably happy in this life and supremely happy with Him, forever, in the next.

In Loving Memory Of

Maxine Ashton

Entered Into Life	***Entered Eternal Life***
January 16, 1921	October 8, 2007
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Chapel Services

Olinger Crown Hill Chapel of Peace
Saturday, October 13, 2007
Ten O'clock in the Morning

Officiant

Reverend Doctor John A. Cook

Music

Judy Hill, ***pianist***
Ann Miller, ***soloist***
"In the Garden"
"Softly and Tenderly"
"Old Rugged Cross"
"Blessed Assurance"

Pallbearers

Aaron Nakai
Corey Nakai
Don Gordon
Bill Smith
Mark Stookesberry
Joe Tucker

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MAXINE ASHTON

In many ways, Maxine Ashton was a woman before her time. Born in Trinidad, CO on Jan. 16, 1921 to schoolteachers Will and Luna Weller, she was raised with her two brothers in rural eastern CO. Her family eventually moved to a ranch near Wray, CO where Maxine graduated from high school. At the age of 19, following a trend of many others, Maxine moved to the big city of Denver, where she soon joined the Central Christian Church youth group. The Central Christian Church family was an important part of her life from then on. In 1946, she married Russell Ashton, whom she had met through the Central youth group. Maxine and Russ spent their entire 62 year married life in Wheat Ridge, CO raising two children, Diane and Roger. With Diane, Maxine became involved as a Campfire Girl leader, sharing her many creative talents (sewing, knitting and cooking) with her daughter. When Roger joined a Boy Scout ski troop, Maxine pitched in to make sandwiches and hot cocoa for the weekly ski adventures. She also tirelessly tried to teach him to sew and knit ski sweaters-both ventures that didn't take. Cooking and baking lessons were, however well received. As her children got older, Maxine turned her attention to other activities, including reading, travel to Steamboat and Maui, and her avid support of CU and Bronco football. Maxine's love of sewing also led her to help organize the "Quilter's Project" at the CO Christian Home. Maxine approached everything with zeal and creativity. And when grandsons Aaron and Corey Nakai were small, she taught them peach-pit painting, apple picking and jelly-making. For the last two years, great-grandson Ashton Nakai brought great joy to Maxine whenever she was in his company. On Oct 8, 2007 with her family at her side, Maxine peacefully began her journey with the angels at Collier Lutheran Hospice. She is survived by her two brothers, loving husband Russell, children Diane and Roger, daughter-in-law Mary, grandsons Aaron and Corey, grand daughter-in-law Susan, great grandson Ashton, numerous nieces and nephews and extended family. The family suggests contributions to CO Christian Home, 2950 Tennyson, Denver, CO 80212.

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Russell & Maxine Ashton Family

Son:

Roger Morgan Ashton
Married
Mary Elizabeth Jennings
Feb 15, 2003 Sacramento, CA

Grandson:

Corey Ashton Nakai
Married
Susan Lee Pickering
Jan 10, 2004 Colorado Spgs, CO

Both couples have purchased houses and are residing in the cities where they were married.

Diane Ashton Nakai
and

Corey Nakai

Sacramento, CA

15 February 2003

Corey Nakai

15 February 2003

Sacramento, CA

We Have a New Snuggle Bug!

Name Ashton Michael Nakai

Date Sept 6, 2005 1:24 PM Colo Spgs, Co

Weight 8# 1oz Length 20½"

Parents Susan & Corey Nakai

Grandparent Diane Ashton

Great Grandparents Mafine & Russell Ashton

George Mohr and Elizabeth Holtzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catharine Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-4 Russell Mohr Ashton and Maxine Weller
6-1 Diane Rae Ashton and James Nakai

7-2 Corey Ashton Nakai
September 24, 1979

m. Susan Lee Pickering January 10, 2004
Colorado Springs, CO

8-1 Ashton Michael Nakai 2005 September 6
Colorado Springs, Co.

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

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4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-4 Russell Mohr Ashton and Maxine Rae Weller

6-2 Roger Morgan Ashton

1952 July 30

m. Mary Elizabeth Jennings 15 February 2003

1965 March 8 Sacramento, CA

Roger Morgan Ashton and Mary Elizabeth Jennings Ashton

15 February 2003 Sacramento, CA

Russell Mohr Ashton and Mary Elizabeth Jennings Ashton

Roger Morgan Ashton and Maxine Weller Ashton

15 February 2003 Sacramento, CA

ROGER ASHTON

3/22/07

Dear Lorna + Ken

Always nice to hear from you - altho we are very poor letter writers.
Now that Spring is here we are having another strange weather pattern - Mar 22 and zero moisture for the month and March is supposedly the snowiest month of the year!
Our winter snow was real deep and all the publicity re the airport was a bit over done I'm sure -
We were snow (house) bound for a day or two but certainly didn't need a run on the grocery stores as many did - Frankly I enjoyed sitting by the window in living room, guessing as to how deep the snow was -
We have one of those horrible SUV's and second day was out an around as usual.
Took Maxine to the Dr last week and except for blood pressure a little high, could think of no better therapy than time in Hawaii - So - we are leaving the 10th for a month on Maui - unless we have a "Spring snow" that closes the airport -
Hope this finds you all well -
Russell + Maxine

Roger + Mary from Sacramento were
stranded at home for Christmas but
came for a week - mid Jan - ; but
sort of two Christmases, were not
good - they were stranded in airport

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Frederick Mohr and Catherina Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnarle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Redi
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-1 Frances Laura Ashton and Harold Thomas Hunsaker

6-3 Carole Ann Hunsaker

25 February 1943

Donald Witten

January 16, 1942 divorced

# 2 Joe Davie 5 April 1986

19 Dec 1934 Detriot, MI

3 October 1991 burial Woodlawn, Ohio City

7-1	Laura Ann Witten	December 27, 1963
7-2	Linda Denise Witten	January 18, 1965

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

1-1 Fredrich Mohr and Catherina Kuhn
2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnurle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Rumble

6-2 Donald Kent Ashton

1941 January 22

Carol Jo Mc Clellan 1962 June 17
divorced

1944 February 13

divorced

m2 Linda Brown 1992 May 30, Fort Wayne, IN
divorced

1949 January 9

7-1 Jeffery Donald Ashton 1966 November 7

7-2 Debbie Jo Ashton 1970 May 3

#3 m. Bobbie Clark May 17, 2004

George Mohr and Elizabeth Heltzelberger

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2-5 Gottlieb Mohr and Sarah Ann Schnarle
3-3 David Frederick Mohr and Mary Ella Reid
4-1 Winnie Mable Mohr and Morgan Eugene Ashton
5-2 Harold Eugene Ashton and Ruth Helen Rumble
6-2 Donald Kent Ashton and Carol Jo McClelland

7-1 Jeffery Donald Ashton

1966 November 7 - Fort Wayne, IN

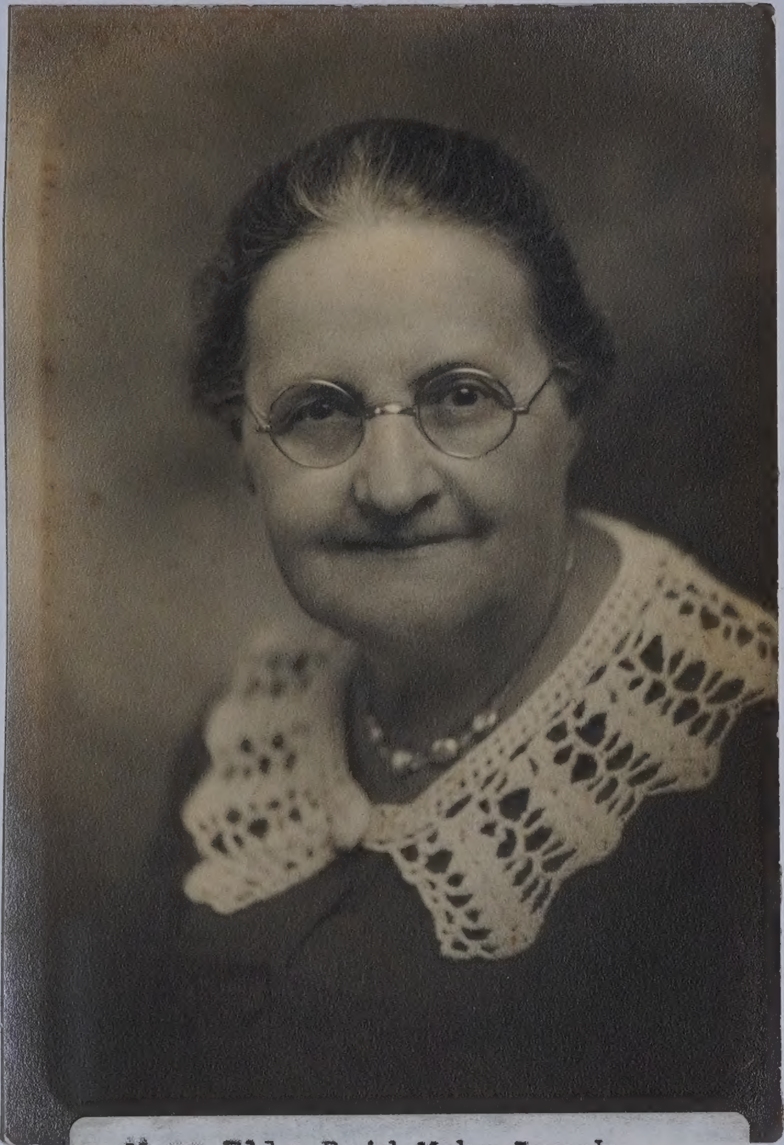
m. Sherri Fritch 1993 August 14
Fort Wayne, IN

1' 1998

divorced

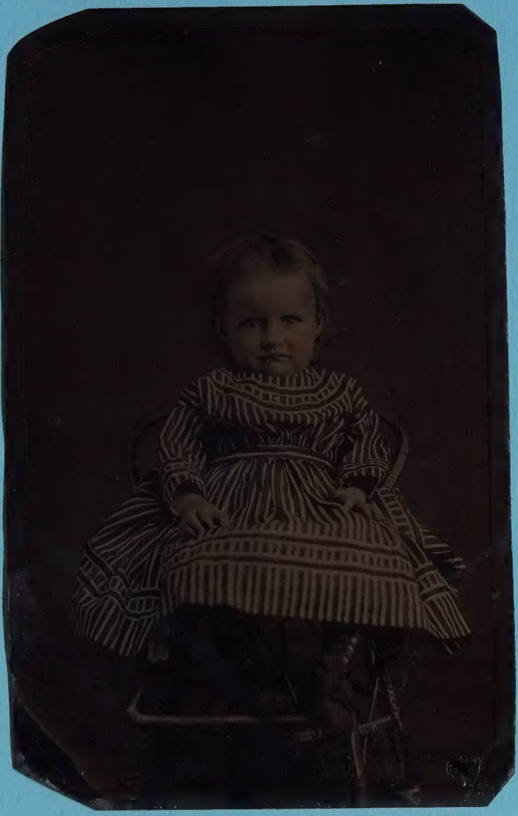
m. Tanja 2001 July 14

8-1 Jeremy Donald Ashton 2002 April 1



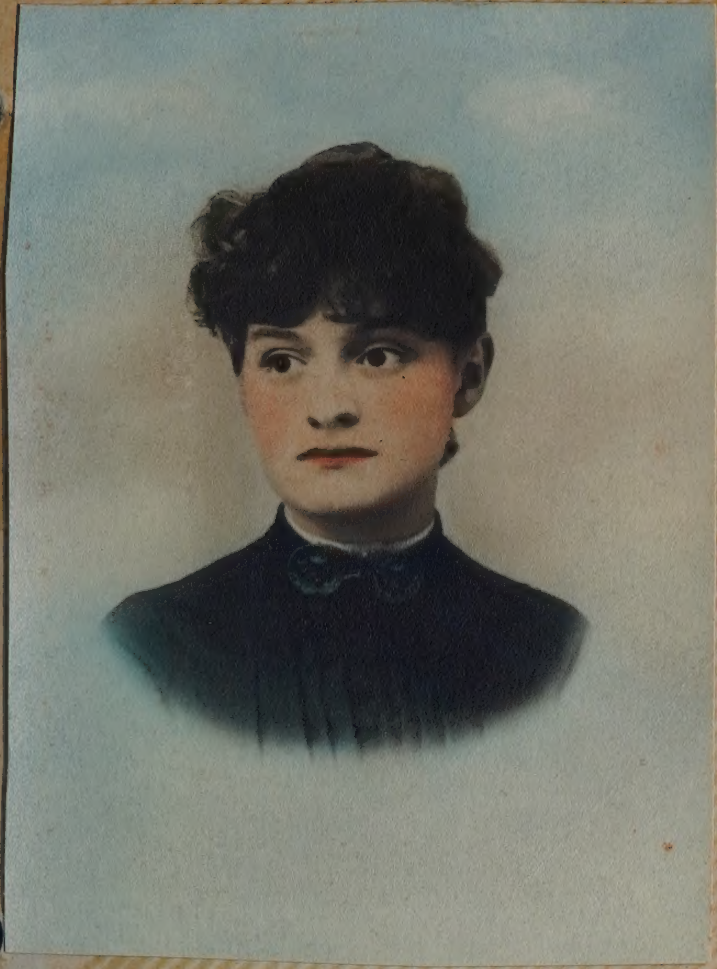
Mary Ella Reid-Mohr-Louck

-Mohr-
Birthplace of Mary Ella Reid-Louck
Feb. 21, 1870. Hocking Co.



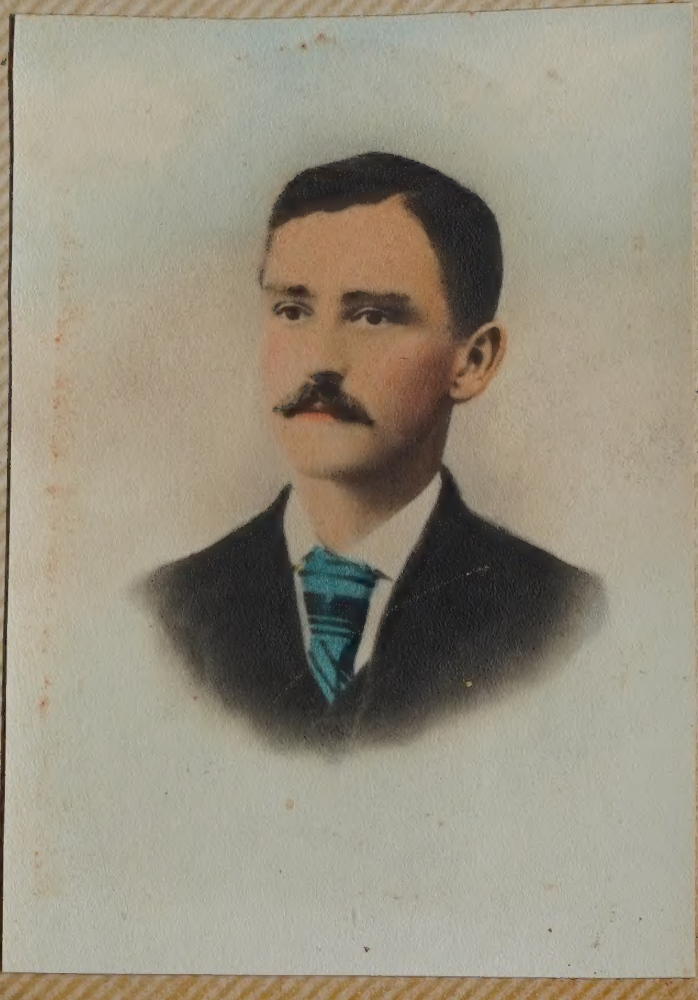
Mary Ella Reid-Louck
Feb. 21, 1870 - July 6, 1941

a tintype photograph



Mary Ella Reid

David Fredrick Mohr



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David Mohr, died Tuesday morning, December 20th at five o'clock, of double pneumonia of the lungs. He was a well known and highly respected citizen and his sudden death was a shock to his many relatives and friends.

The funeral services were held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at the Evangelical church, Presiding Elder Oaks, of Fort Wayne officiating, assisted by Rev. Ringgenberg, of Scott, Ohio. His body was laid at rest in the Evangelical cemetery.

David Frederick Mohr, son of Gottleib and Sarah A. Mohr, was born in Van Wert county, Ohio, August 27th 1865 and departed this life December 20th 1904, aged 39 years, 4 months and 23 days.

He was converted and joined the Evangelical church when but a boy of 14 years and has lived a consistent and faithful christian until God called him to the realms above.

On March 26th 1891 he was married to Miss Ellen Reid. To this happy union were born seven children, six daughters and one son. These children with the heart-broken wife, mother, father five sisters and two brothers and a host of friends and relatives are left to mourn their loss. He was a sincere and earnest Christian worker in his home. In the midst of his family he read from the bible and prayed each day that his children might grow up to be good and faithful christians and one day make an unbroken family around the throne of God. On Sunday evening it was his custom to gather his little flock round him and tell them of the blessed truths in God's word which he hoped would follow them thro' life. This indeed was a family where love and happiness dwelt; always in every possible way trying to make each other happy. It was hard to leave his family for he loved them so dearly, but he bade them all be good and true to Jesus and meet him in heaven. A while before he passed away he sang two verses of the hymn, "O how happy are they who their Savior obey," then after bidding all good bye and shouting praises to God, he sank into unconsciousness and remained thus to the end.

Beautiful toiler, thy work all done,
Beautiful soul into glory gone,
Beautiful life with its crown now won.
God giveth thee rest.
Rest from all sorrows and watching and fears,
Rest from all possible sighing and tears,
Rest thro' God's endless, wonderful years—
At home with the blest.

Beautiful spirit, free from all stain
Ours the heartache, the sorrow and pain,
Thine is the glory and infinite gain—
Thy slumber is sweet.
Peace on the brow and the eyelids so calm,
Peace in the heart 'neath the white folded palm,
Peace dropping down like a wondrous balm
From the head to the feet.

It was so sudden, our white lips said,
How we shall miss him, the beautiful dead
Who takes the place of the precious one fled;
But God knoweth best.
We know He watches the sparrows that fall,
Hears the sad cry of the grieved hearts that call,
Friends, wife, children, He loveth them all
We can trust for the rest.

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Thie poem was found back of a picture of Mary Ella Reid
Mohr Louck. 1991 December 11

In the year 1891
This noisy family was begun,

A handsome man and maiden fair,
Were joined in union as a pair.

Their simple trust was in each other,
The woman was to be our mother.

Our home was built off logs so long,
In every heart there was a song.

With faith and love to have full sway,
We children used to romp and play.

Through winters cold or summers fair,
We'd start each day with morning prayer.

His life was short, his work well done,
He left our home for a heavenly one.

We'll never know how deep her grief,
Or how she ever found relief.

We hope she found a little joy,
In six little girls and one small boy.

by N. Evans

(Susie Mohr Davis: Venedocia, Ohio Nov. 1964)

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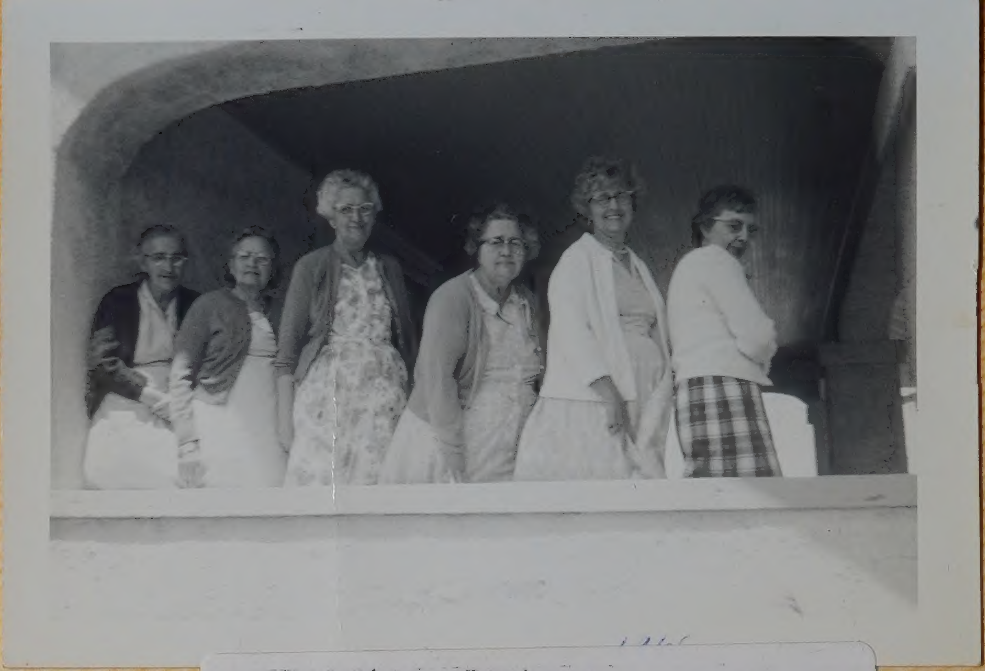
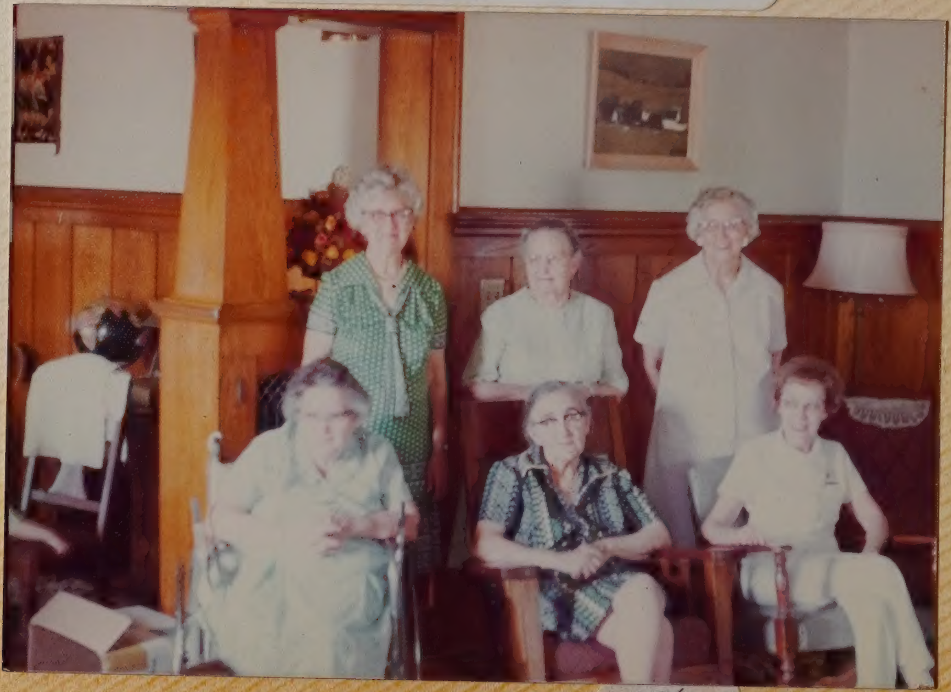
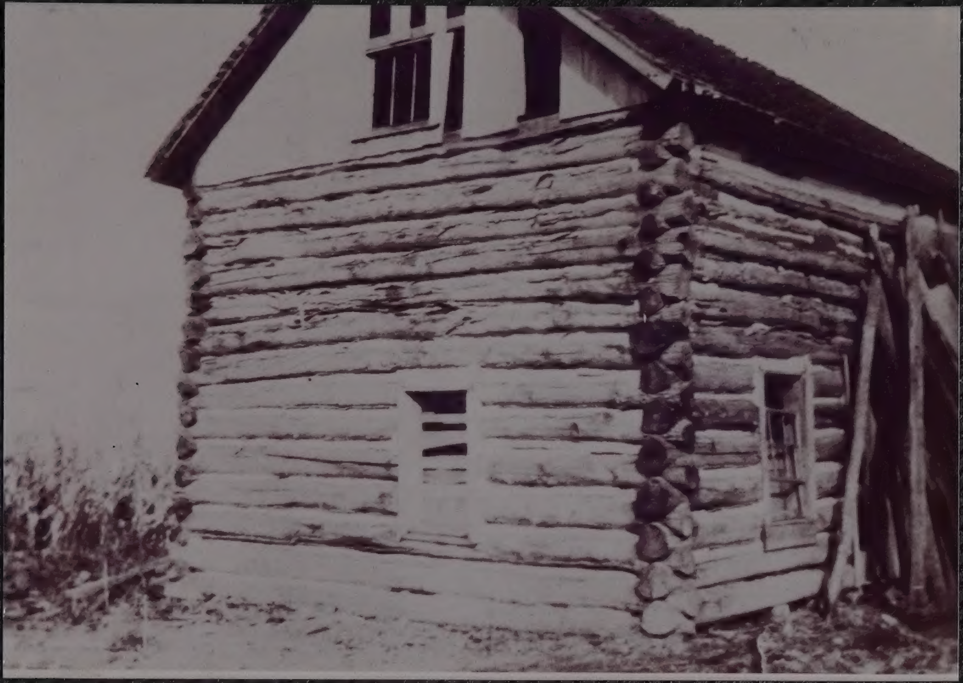


1969 - Sisters
Nellie Evans, Susie Davis,
Florence Mohr, Ruth Girod,
Sabina Burris, Elsie Morris

standing: Sabina Burris,
Susie Davis, Florence
Mohr. seated: Ruth Girod,
Nellie Evans, Elsie Morris
1974 July

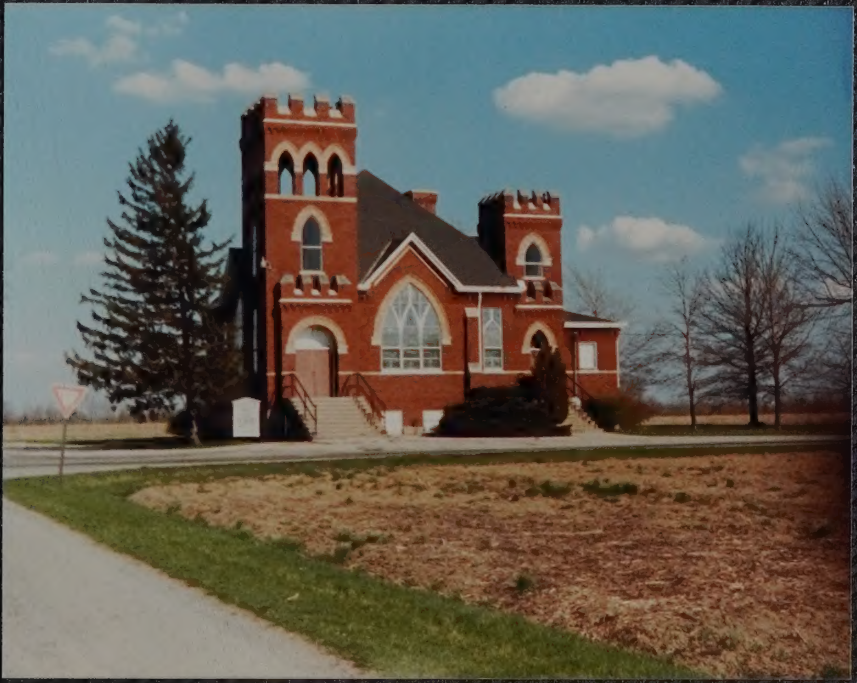


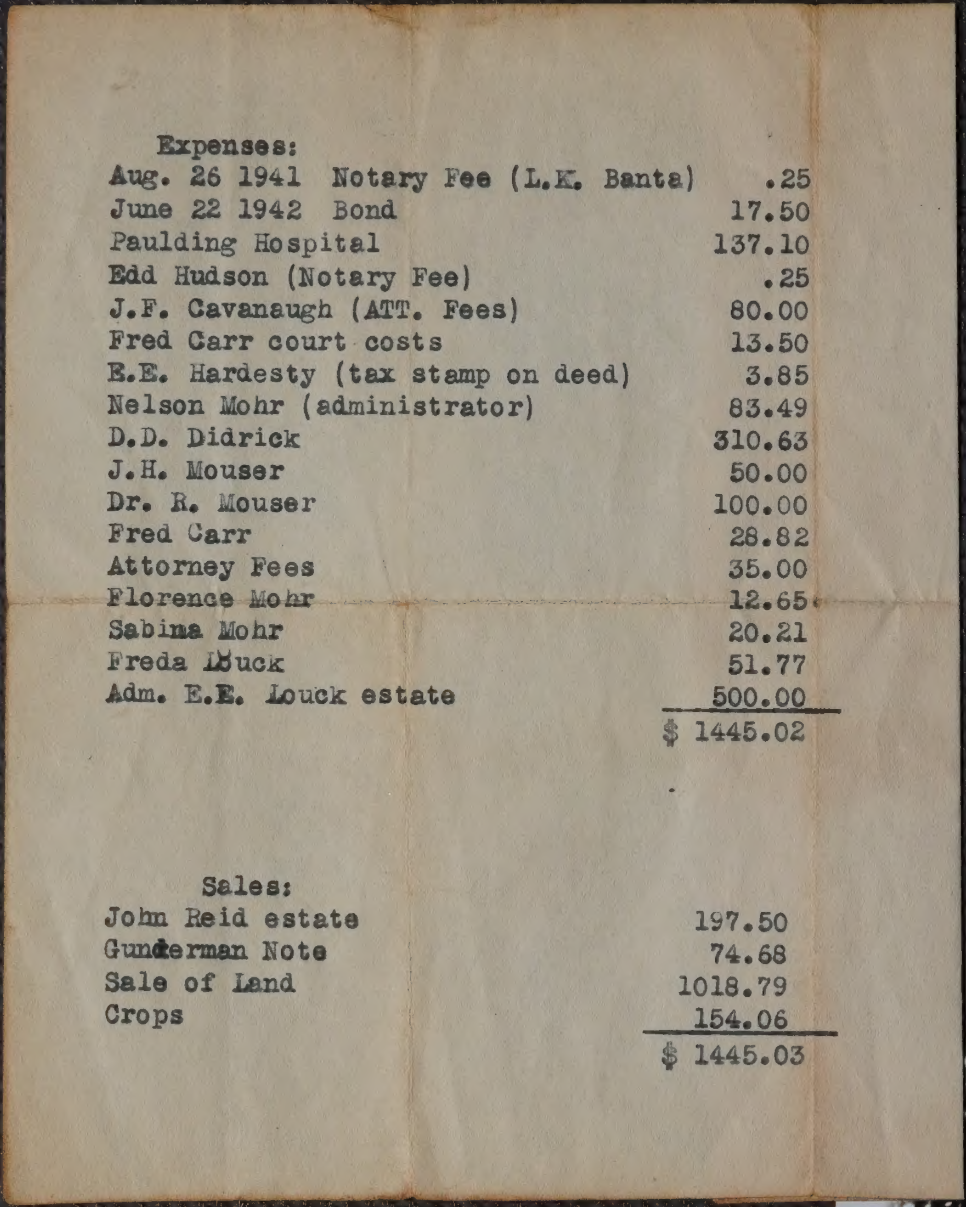


The 2d home of David and
Ella Mohr.

Located in Paulding Co.
1 1/2 mile east of
Scott, Ohio

Grand Victory Church
Van Wert County,
Ohio





Expenses:

Aug. 26 1941 Notary Fee (L.K. Banta)	.25
June 22 1942 Bond	17.50
Paulding Hospital	137.10
Edd Hudson (Notary Fee)	.25
J.F. Cavanaugh (ATT. Fees)	80.00
Fred Carr court costs	13.50
E.E. Hardesty (tax stamp on deed)	3.85
Nelson Mohr (administrator)	83.49
D.D. Didrick	310.63
J.H. Mouser	50.00
Dr. R. Mouser	100.00
Fred Carr	28.82
Attorney Fees	35.00
Florence Mohr	12.65
Sabina Mohr	20.21
Freda Louck	51.77
Adm. E.E. Louck estate	500.00
	$ 1445.02

Sales:

John Reid estate	197.50
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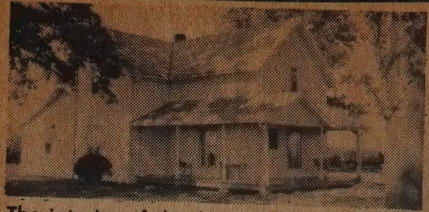

The interior of this home is beautiful, very neat and clean. PLEASE LOOK. We will discuss any reasonable deal. Located 2 miles east of Scott, Ohio on the Paulding/-Van Wert County Line.

LARRY D. GORRELL
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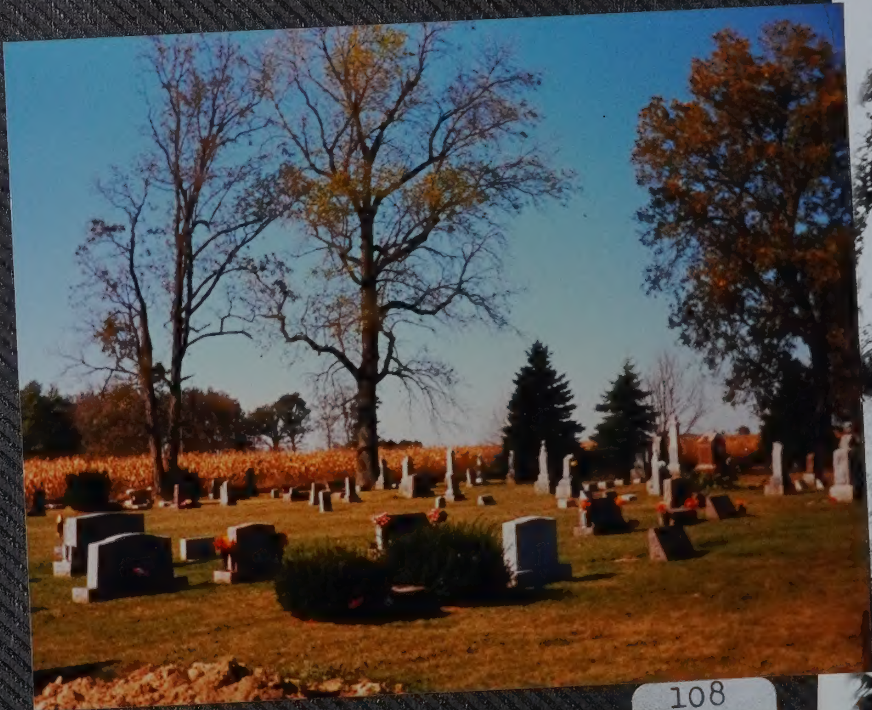
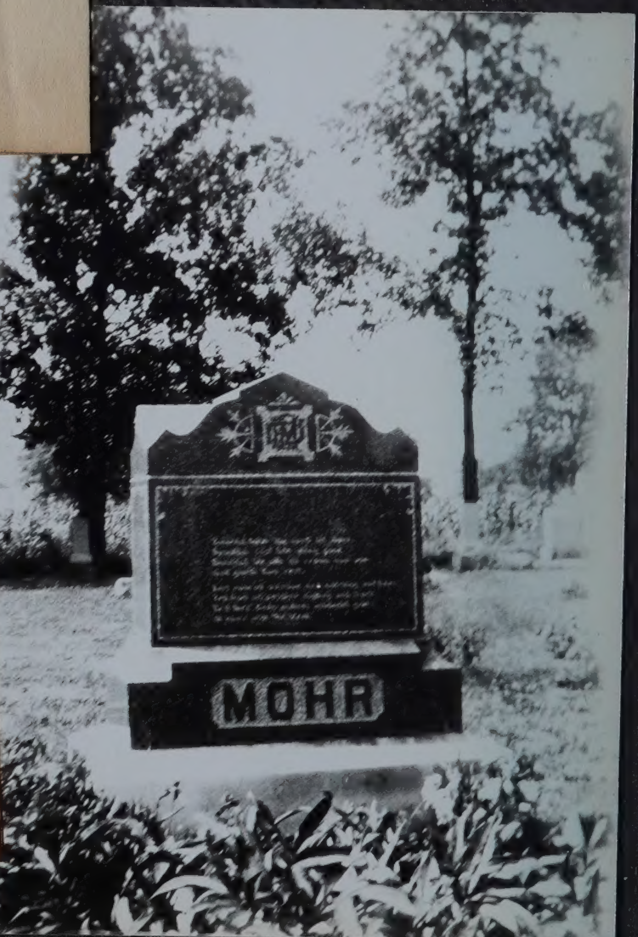
3d home of Ella & David





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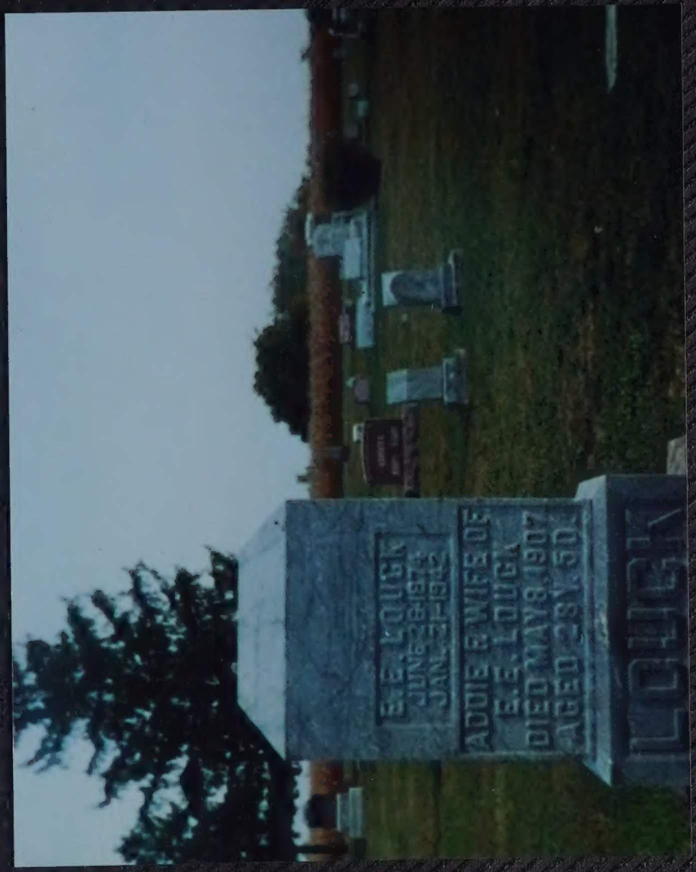
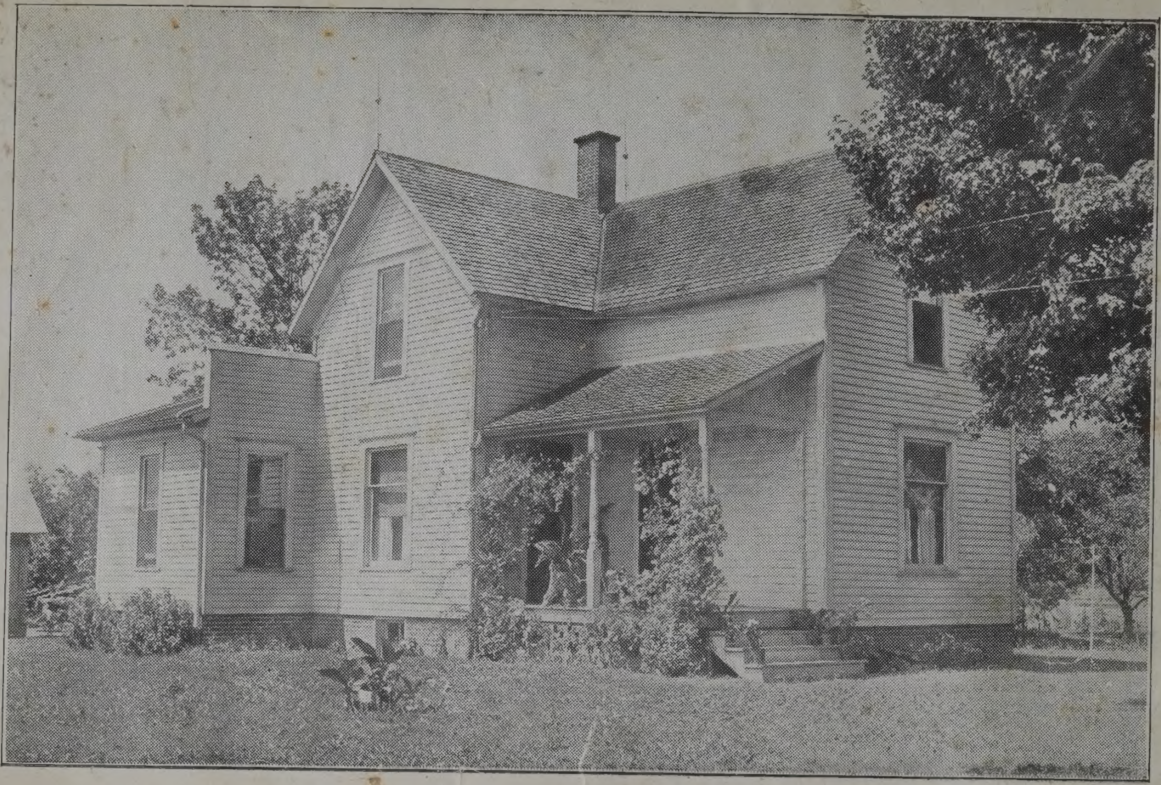
Christmas 1926


E.E. LOUCK
ADDIE B. WIFE OF
E.E. LOUCK
DIED MAY 8, 1907
AGED 28 Y. 5 D.
LOUCK

Ella, Elsie, Elmer
Louck

CHRISTMAS 1926



Home of E. E. Louck, Van Wert, Ohio.

Mother

mother

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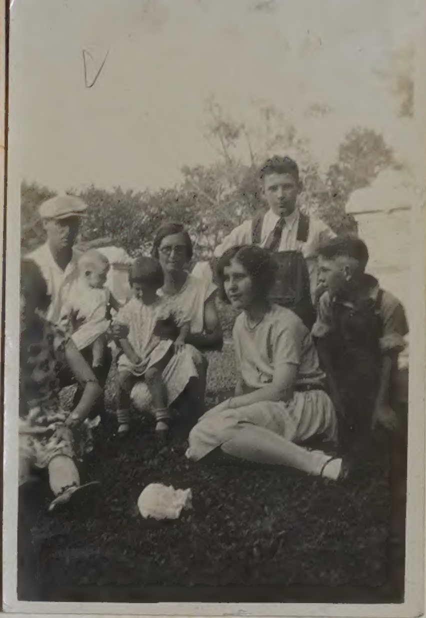
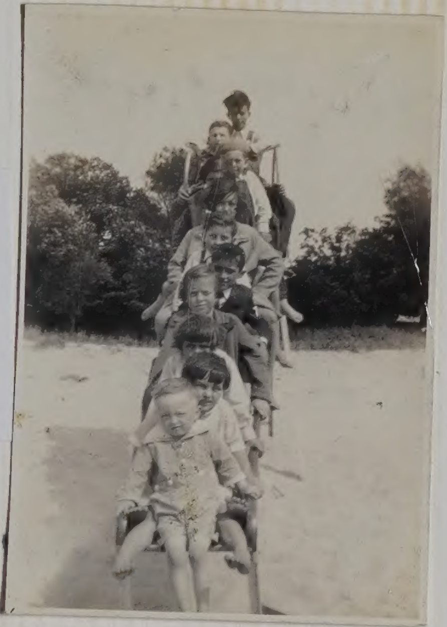
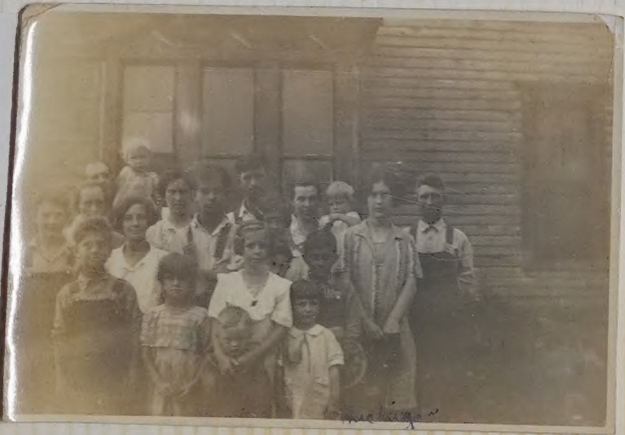
Sabina Mohr, Lewis Davis holding Willis; Susie Davis holding Lorna; Frances, Harold & Carl Ashton

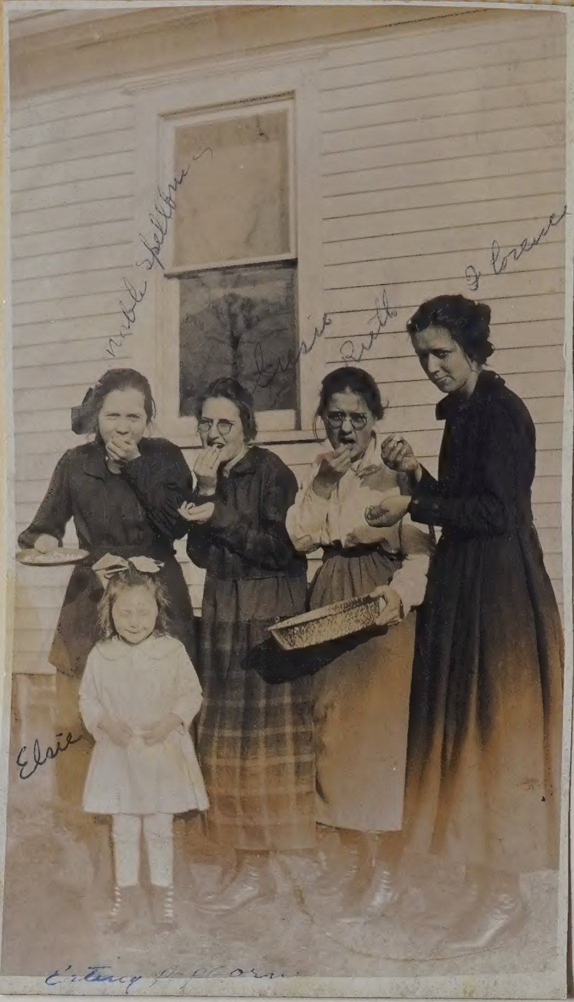


John Evans; Grace Mohr; Sabina Evans, Marjorie Mohr; James David Evans; Russell Ashton, Ruth Mohr; Nellie Evans; Carl & Harold Ashton; Walter Mohr



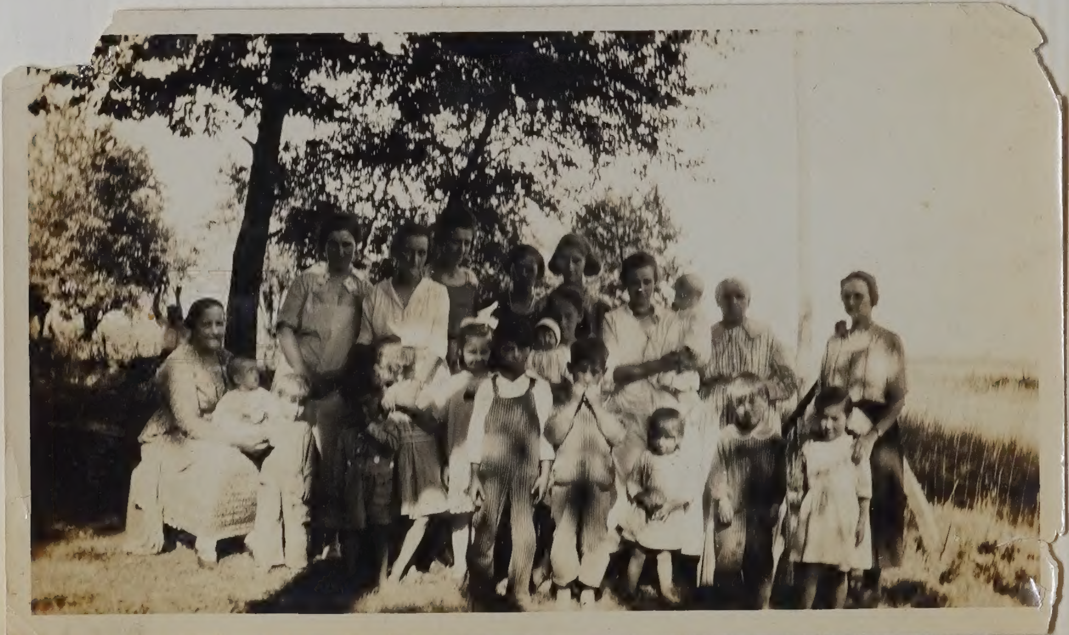
John Evans; Carl Ashton; Sabina Evans; Marjorie & Grace Mohr; James David Evans; back of Marjorie is Russell Ashton; Harold Ashton, Ruth Mohr, Walter Mohr, Nellie Ela Evans; Frances Ashton; Nellie Evans; Winnie Ashton; Abbie holding Mary Mohr; Morg Ashton; James holding Bertha Evans; Nelson Mohr




Mable Spellbring
Susie
Ruth
Florence
Elsie

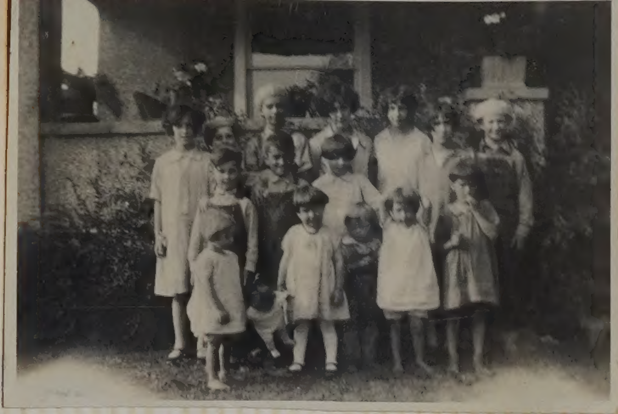
Eating popcorn

ALICE BENDER

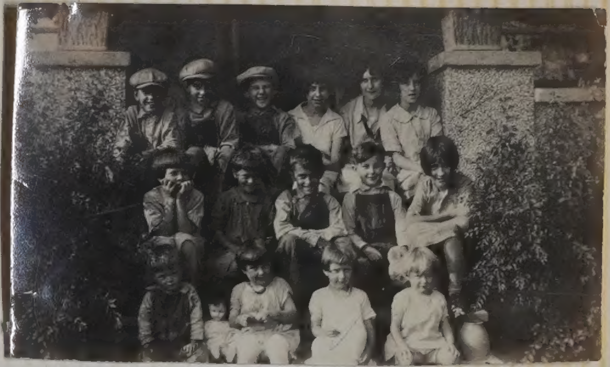


Winnie Nellie Florence Ruth Sabina Abbie & Helen Grandma —
Winnie's front yard? 1922 Reid & Susie
Mother Sabina E. Russell James D. Nellie E. Elsie Walter Frances & doll
Harold Marjorie Carl Ruth

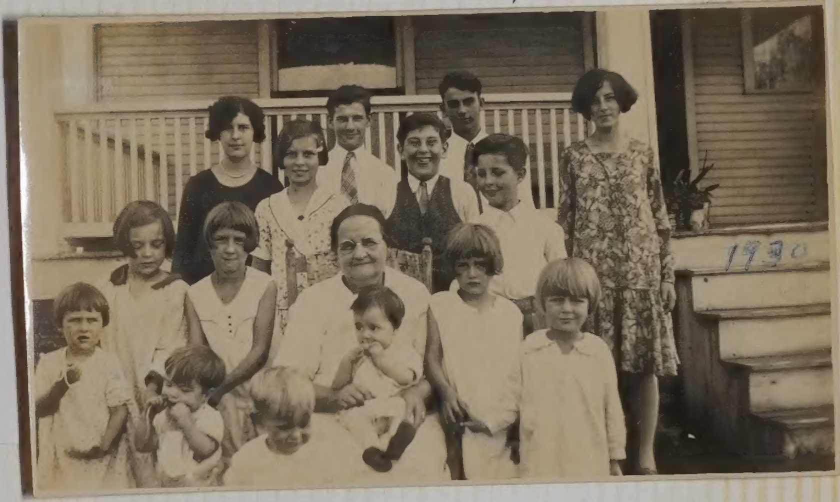
fr: Helen & Grace Mohr; John Evans;
unknown; Sabina Evans.
mr: Russell Ashton; James David Evans;
Marjorie Mohr.
br: Ruth Mohr; Carl Ashton; Walter
Mohr; Frances Ashton; Elsie
Louck; Nellie Evans; Harold
Ashton.



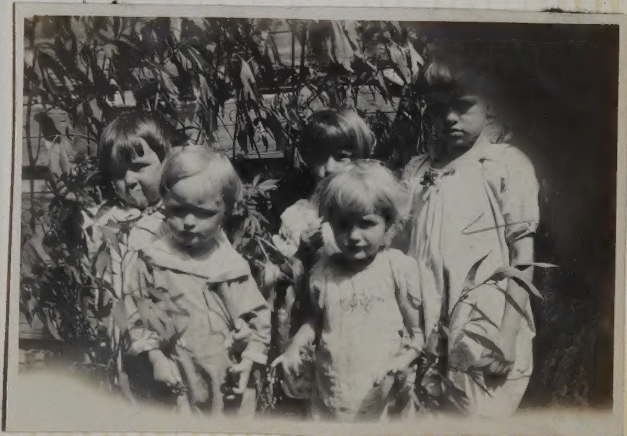
f: John Evans; Grace Mohr;
Virgina & Helen Girod.
m: Marjorie Mohr; Sabina Evans;
James David Evans; Russell
Ashton; Nellie Ella Evans.
b: Carl Ashton; Walter Mohr;
Harold Ashton; Elsie
Louck; Frances Ashton;
Ruth Mohr

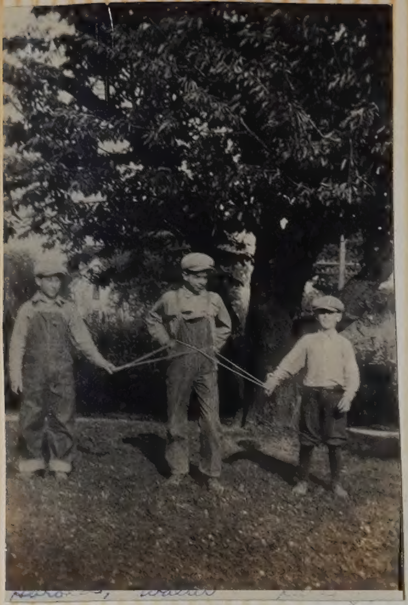


b: Frances, Harold Ashton;
Walter, Ruth Mohr
2: Marjorie Mohr, Carl &
Russell Ashton
3: Grace Mohr; Virginia
Girod, Grandmother;
Helen Girod, Mary Mohr.
4: Lorna Davis, David Girod,
Willis Davis, Rheba Mohr
on Grandma's lap

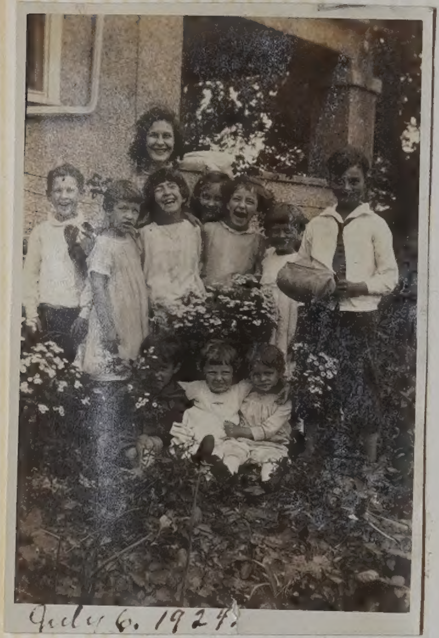


John Evans; Helen Girod
Grace Mohr; Virginia
Girod; Sabina Evans

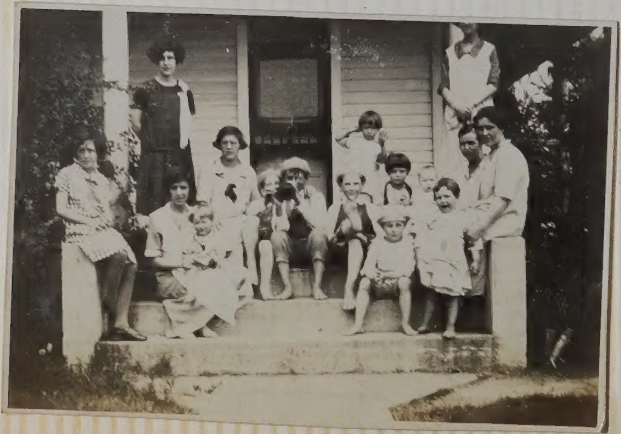



Harold, Walter [illegible]

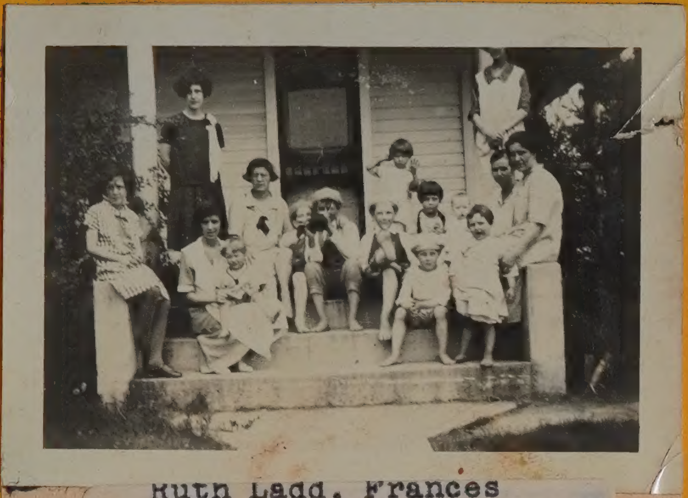
Harold Ashton
Walter Mohr
Carl Ashton


July 6. 1924.

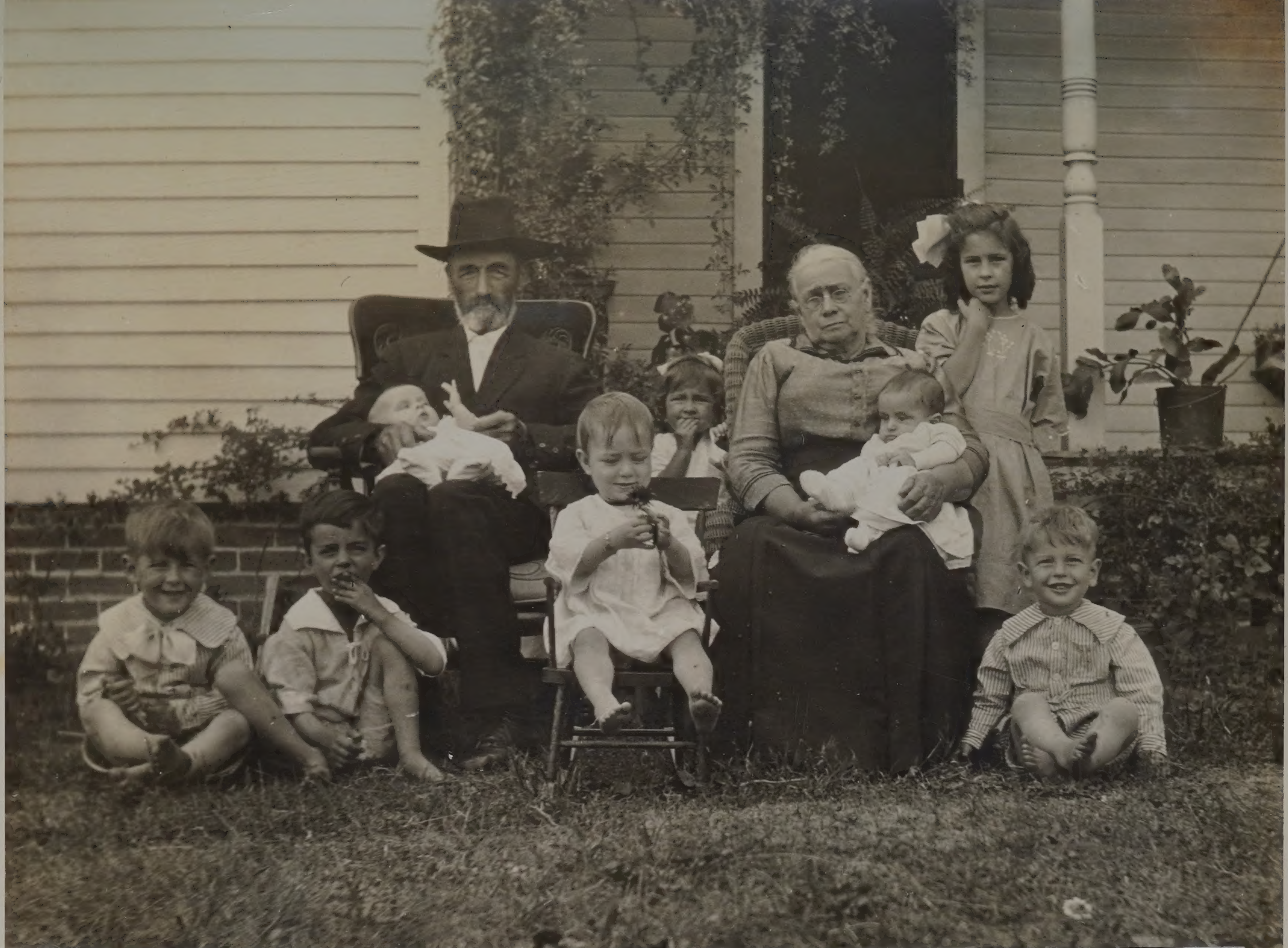
f: James David Evans; Helen Mohr; Sabina Evans
2: Harold Ashton, Alice Bender; Nellie Evans; Elsie Louck, Ruth Mohr; Marjorie Mohr, Walter Mohr;
3. Frances Ashton



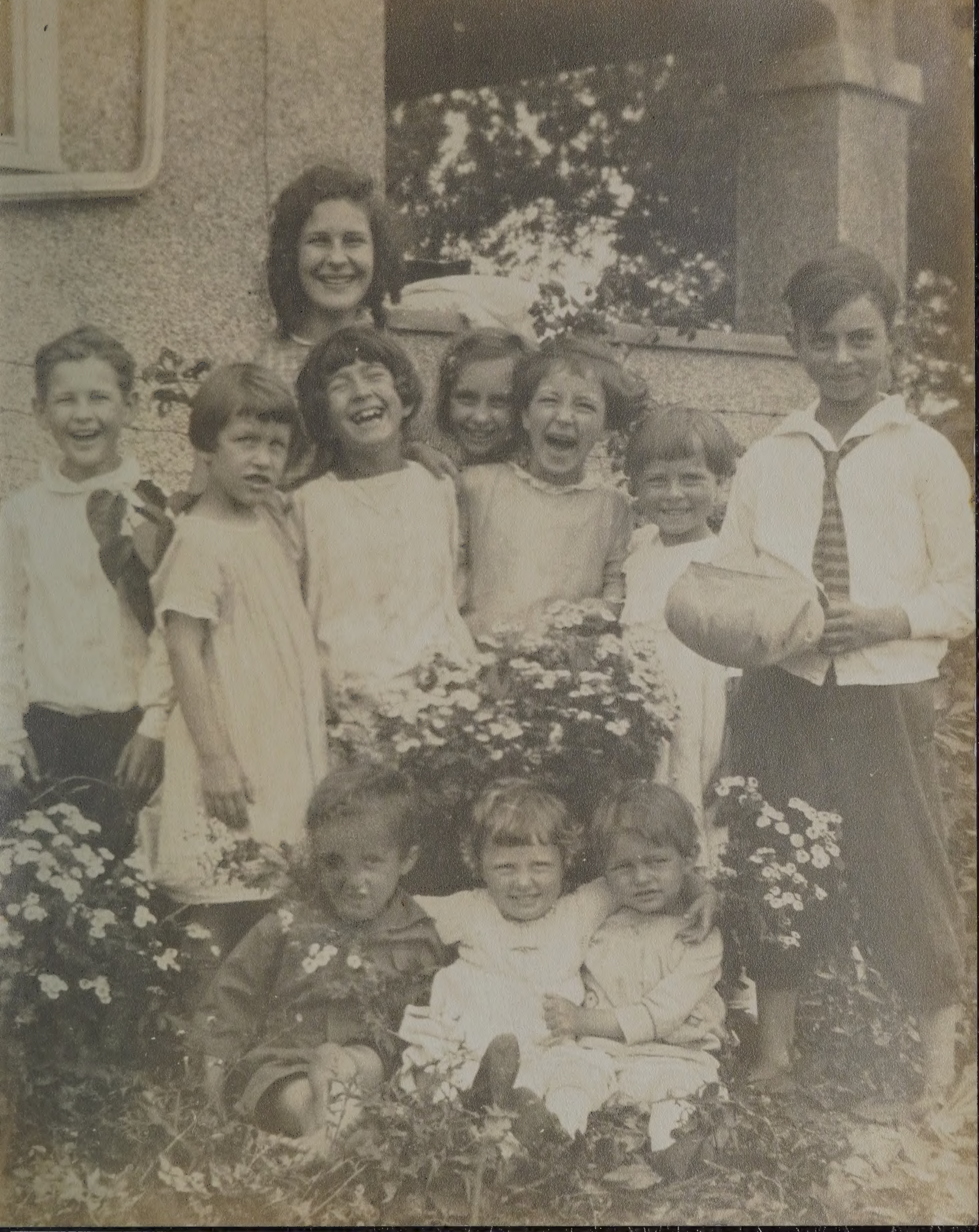
Ruth Mohr; Frances Ashton; Florence with Helen Girod; Ruth Girod; Carl Ashton back of Walter Mohr; Harold & Russell Ashton; Marjorie Mohr; Grace Mohr, Winnie Ashton, Abbie Mohr, Sabina Mohr, Helen Mohr & Virginia Girod



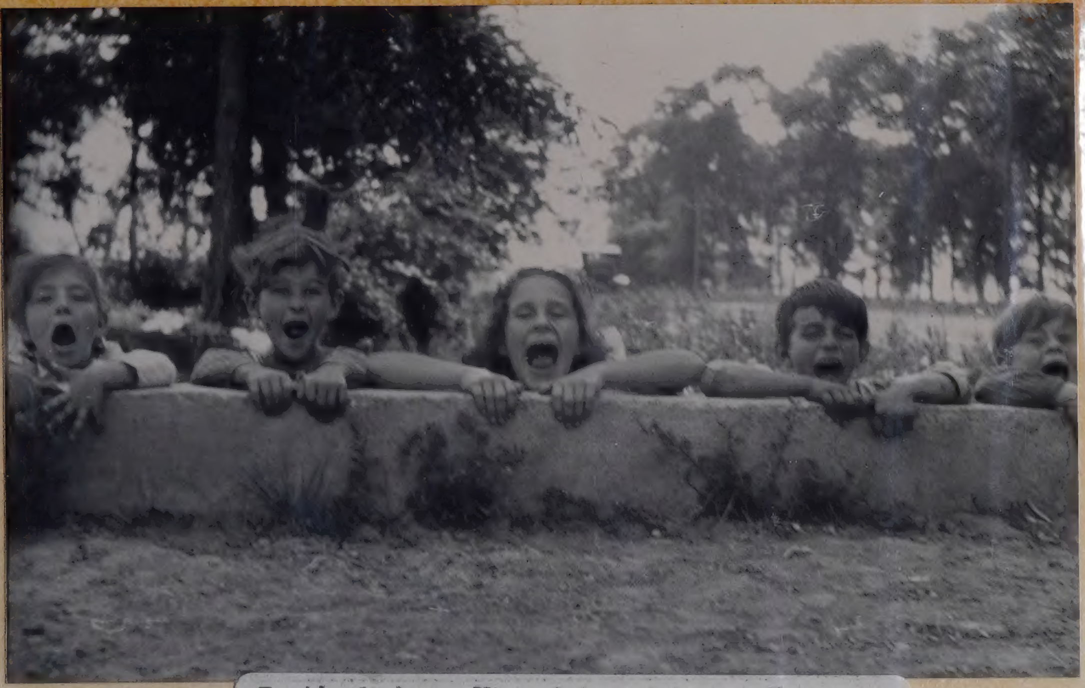
Ruth Ladd, Frances
Ashton, Florence Mohr
holding ?, Ruth Girod,
Carl Ashton, Walter
Mohr, Harold Ashton,
Russell Ashton, Grace
Mohr, Winnie Ashton,
Abbie Mohr



Harold Ashton; Walter Mohr; Grandpa Reid holding Russell Ashton; Ruth Mohr in chair; Nellie Ella Evans standing; Grandma Reid holding James David Evans; Frances Ashton standing + Carl Ashton sitting on the ground.



Back Row Frances Ashton & Elsie Louck
Middle Row; Harold Ashton; Alice Bender; Nellie Ella Evans; Ruth Mohr;
Marjorie Mohr & Walter Mohr.
F. ground; James David Evans; Helen Miriam Mohr & Sabina Evans



Ruth Mohr, Harold Ashton, Frances
- Ashton, Walter Mohr, Carl Ashton -

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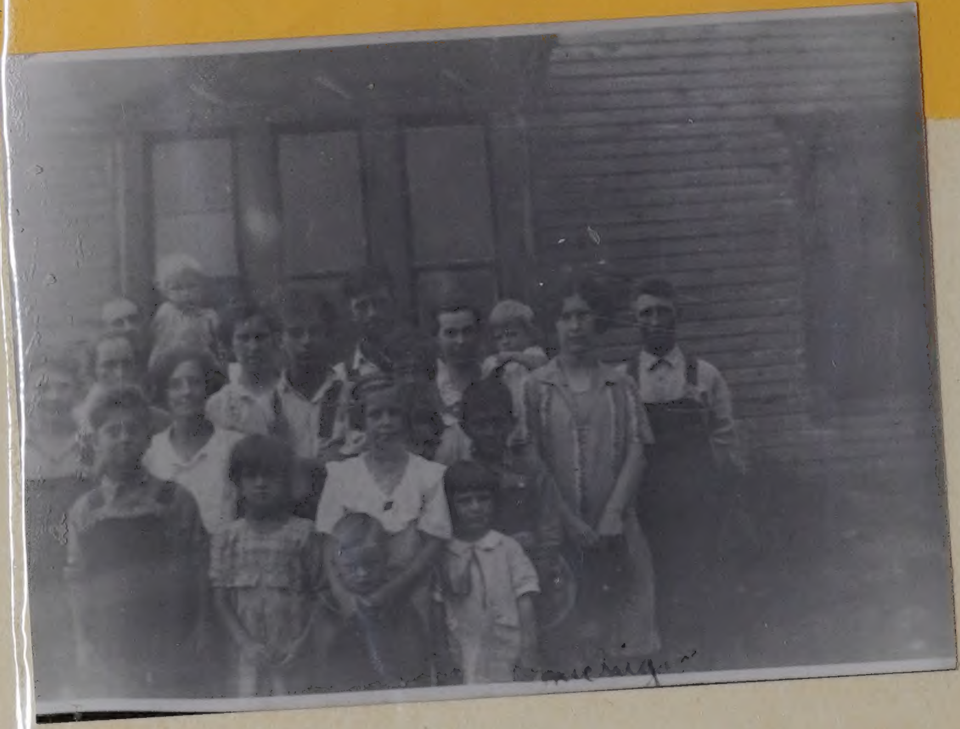
front row: John Evans
2d Walter Mohr, Sabina Evans, Marjorie Mohr,
James David Evans, b. Grace Mohr
3d Harold Ashton, Rotn Mohr, Walter Mohr,
Rossell Ashton, frances Ashton
4th Nellie Evans, Winnie Ashton, Nellie
Ella Evans,

back row: James Evans, Bentha Evans,
Nelson Mohr, Abbie Mohr holding
Mary f., Morg Ashton

Michigan ? 1928 +-.


Michigan

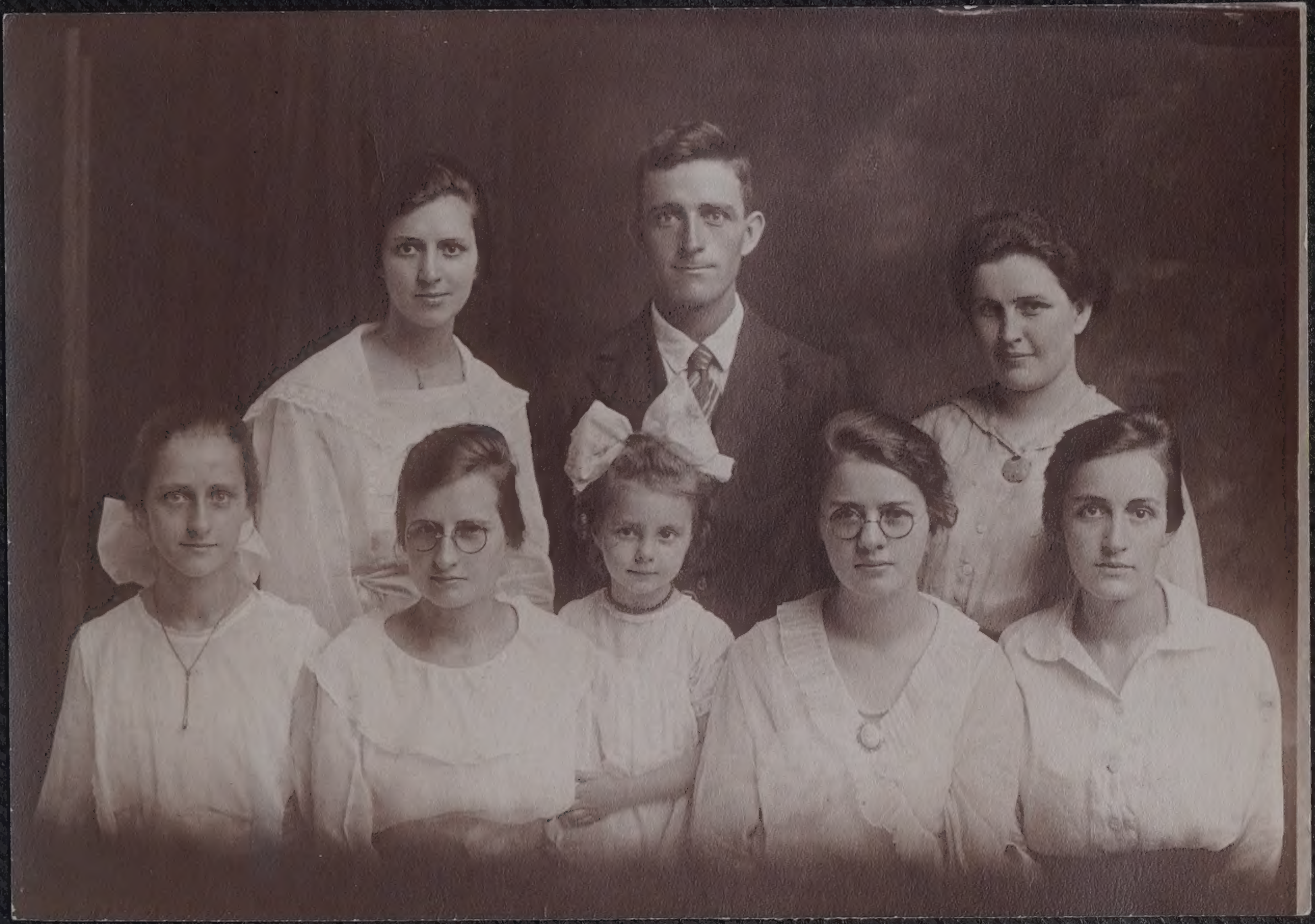
HELPERLY

Mrs. Cora Hepperly, 70, wife of Alva Hepperly of 225 West First Street, died at 2:30 p. m. Saturday in St. Rita's Hospital at Lima. She had been in failing health for about four months.

The deceased was born September 9, 1883, near Butler, and her marriage to Alva Hepperly occurred in April, 1933.

Surviving are her husband; a stepson, Delmer Hepperly of Union Township, and a brother, John McCellan of the Veterans' Hospital at Dayton. One stepson preceded her in death.

Friends may call at the Alspach Funeral Home where rites will be conducted at 2 p. m. Tuesday, Rev. Burt Bussard, pastor of Wesley Methodist Church, to officiate. Burial will be in Woodland cemetery.



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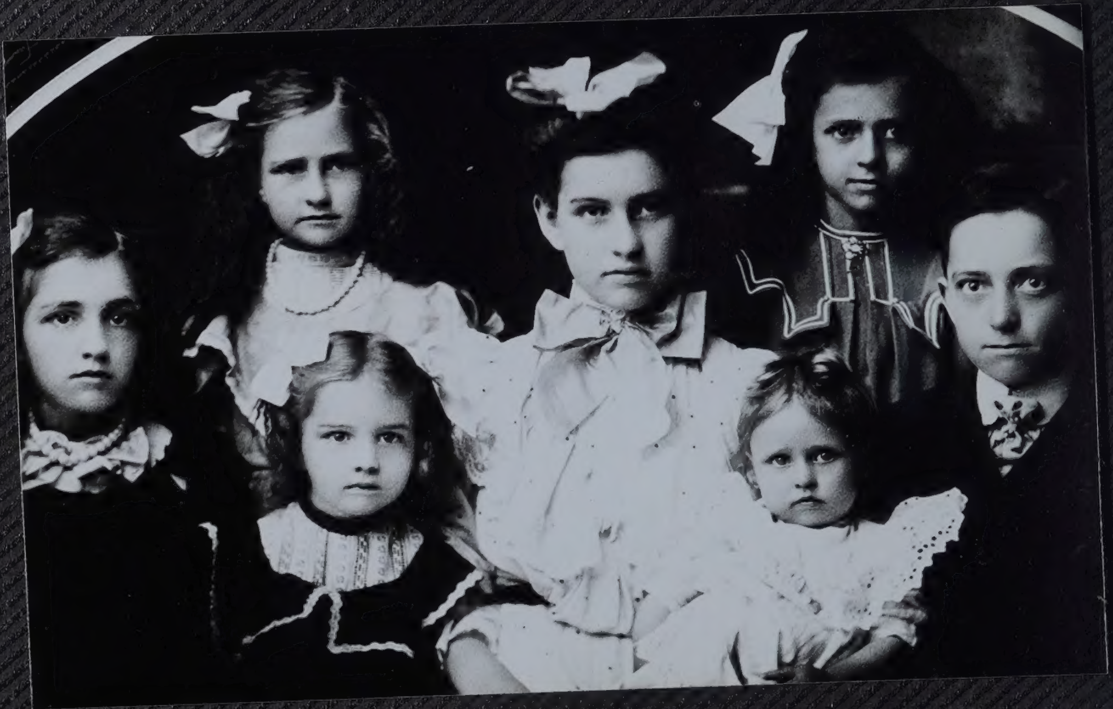

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